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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 39 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 9 to ten. At midnight the temperature was 50 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 8 a.m. the temperature was 47 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair and warmer; light northeast winds, changing to westerly.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; fog in morning; light northeast wind.

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RAID CHICAGO COUNTERFEITERS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—A raid made by Deputy United States marshals on a flat in Morgan street has resulted in the arrest of three men charged with counterfeiting. John O'Shea, it is asserted, was caught in the act of making bogus half dollars. Henry Cotter was captured with him and Fred Sullivan, a saloon-keeper, was locked up on a charge of aiding in the distribution of the counterfeits. The three men were taken before Commissioner Foote and placed under $1000 bonds each. Molds, dies and partly-completed bonds were seized.

ALABAMA TORNADOES KILL MANY PEOPLE,

Moundville Partly Destroyed, With a Loss of Thirty-seven Lives.

More Than One Hundred Persons Injured — Path a Quarter of a Mile Wide is Mowed Through the Town. Families Are Blown Hundreds of Feet from Their Beds—Havoc at Other Places.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TUSCALOOSA, (Ala.) Jan. 22.—A disastrous tornado swept over Moundville, Ala., a small town of 300 inhabitants, fifteen miles south of Tuscaloosa, early today, and as a result thirty-seven persons were killed and more than a hundred injured. Every business house, with the exception of one small store, was completely destroyed.

The tornado struck the city from the southwest, and mowed a path a quarter of a mile wide through the town. Following is a list of the white persons killed:

E. SEYMOUR, Nashville, Tenn., who accepted his position as operator at the railroad station last evening.

A. P. WARREN, Birmingham, employed by the Alabama Grocery Company.

E. J. REDMOND, superintendent of the Pumping Station, formerly of Nashville.

ROBERT S. POWERS of Tuscaloosa.

MISS NETTIE FARLEY.

The negro dead are:

W. N. MILES, wife and six children.

ALBERT HOLSTON, wife and three children.

Fourteen other negroes, unidentified.

Surgeons were rushed to Moundville from Greensboro and Tuscaloosa, and all possible was done to alleviate the sufferings of the injured.

By the force of the storm, persons were blown hundreds of feet from their beds in the blackness of the night. Through terror, a father, mother and three children fled from their home to seek refuge, and in their excitement left a 5-year-old boy in bed. Tonight, he was pulled from beneath some timber, and thus far it is impossible to find any other member of the family.

Bedding, carpets and wearing apparel are scattered over a distance of ten miles through what was a forest, but which is now as clear as if cut by the woodman's axe. Freight cars were torn to splinters, the trucks from them being hurled hundreds of feet from the track.

HAVOC AT OTHER PLACES

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 22—Tornadoes played havoc at several places in North Alabama today, resulting, as far as known, in the death of over thirty people and injury to many more. The storm center was at and around Moundville, but it swept all of the northern portion of Hale county and destroyed many farms. It is feared that reports will show an increased loss of life. A heavy wind prevailed all over Northern Alabama and rain fell in torrents.

A tornado struck North Birmingham, demolishing five houses. A number of people are reported injured.

PITTSBURGH'S GREAT FLOOD.

LOSS EXCEEDS MILLION DOLLARS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] 2 a.m.—The river has reached 26.9 feet, and is rising two inches an hour. It will reach a height at noon Sunday of between twenty-eight and thirty feet. The record was in 1884, when it rose 34 feet. The loss will exceed a million dollars. Five thousand men are out of work; 500 families are homeless in Pittsburgh and Allegheny alone, and probably two thousand families in the entire flooded district will have to move out. Railroads are flooded; street-car traffic is suspended, and skiffs are used in the streets of the downtown districts in Pittsburgh and Allegheny to carry people.

RISING AT MIDNIGHT.

SHENANGOES FLOOD GREENVILL

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Jan. 22.—Midnight: The Allegheny and Monongahela rivers are rising steadily. The Allegheny is three feet higher than her consort stream, and as a consequence a dangerous ice gorge is now forming between the Wabash and Smithfield-street bridges, just above the confluence of the rivers. There is ice enough in both rivers at this time to keep both the rivers well filled until Sunday morning and perhaps later.

Early in the day, owing to the warning sent out in regard to the danger from the Allegheny, all of the coal barges and steamboats were sent into the Monongahela to gain the better protection of the pools and consequently stiller water.

Already a large number of bushels of coal has been sunk, and the whole fleet, with nearly two hundred and seventy-five thousand bushels on board, is in danger. In the Pennsylvania-avenue mill district many of the mills have their fly pits below flood level and were compelled to shut down, throwing 7000 men and boys out of work.

The Big and Little Shenangoes, which meet at Greenville, are higher than for many years. A gorge in these streams has backed the water over the town, causing much damage.

South Race and Water streets are under water. Many families are being taken from their homes in boats, while others have moved their household goods to the second floors. The Bessemer railroad shops and the Hodge manufacturing plant, both built above the high-water mark, have been abandoned. Tonight, these plants are under water two feet deep, and much machinery has been ruined. The entire Bessemer yards are flooded and the main line is being used as a storage for locomotives and coaches removed from flooded shops. At Osgood, two miles north of here, there is six feet of water on the Bessemer tracks.

The water in Mercer is higher than it was ever known before, and some stores are flooded. The tin plate and steel mills are closed, and the main thoroughfares are impassable.

About 5 o'clock this evening, news of the sinking of the Volunteer at Brown's Station reached the local headquarters of the coal combine. The Volunteer was valued at $15,000.

One riverman stated tonight that the extent of the damage wrought by the ice tonight could not be estimated until tomorrow, but it will amount to high into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. This, coupled with the losses sustained by railroads, business houses, manufacturing, street-car companies and residents will likely put the loss at about $1,000,000.

At midnight, the Pittsburgh and Western Railroad is out of business, and the Baltimore and Ohio is sending its trains to Youngstown over the Lake Erie.

At 2 o'clock this (Saturday) morning, the guages showed that the Allegheny stood at 29.6 feet at Ferris Island and was rising at the rate of six-tenths of a foot an hour; the Monongahela, at the wharf, stod at 27.2, rising .3 foot per hour; the Ohio, at Davis Island dam, at 26.1, and rising .4 foot per hour.

The worst fears of the manufacturers along the Pittsburgh side of the Allegheny River, from the Sharpsburg Bridge down, were realised shortly after midnight, when the water swept over the banks in many places and inundated the surrounding districts. Every mill and factory beteen the Allegheny Valley Railroad tracks and the river is more or less flooded, and it is estimated that in the neighborhood of 25,000 men will be forced to lay idle until Monday or Tuesday.

Two barges loaded with 30,000 bushels of coal were caught by the current this morning and sunk. A fleet of 43 barges loaded with pit posts were swept away and reported lost.

At 3 o'clock this morning, the steamers Tom Lisle and Delta, each manned by a crew of from twelve to fifteen men, are reported missing. The boats passed Davis Island dam at 9:35 o'clock, apparently in an attempt to rescue a runaway barge loaded with railroad iron. No trace of either boat has been secured up to this time.

FRANCO-AMERICAN RECIPROCITY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—A movement is making for an agreement between the governments of the United States and France in lieu of the projected reciprocity treaty, which has not received the approval of the Senate and consequently has failed through the expiration of the period of time allowance for ratification and exchange.

AMNESTY FOR MACEDONIANS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 22.—The Sultan has ordered that general amnesty be granted to the Bulgarians and Macedonians who have been imprisoned for participation in the disturbances of last summer. Before giving effect to this decree, however, the Porte is trying to obtain assurances regarding Bulgaria's attitude in the future.

MUST GUARD HER TOMBS.

China Compelled to Resist Russia Under Threats of a Revolution.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Dowager Empress of China is thoroughly alive to the peril threatening China as a result of the Russo-Japanese crisis, and has, according to the Globe's Shanghai correspondent, determined at all costs to fight for the freedom of Manchuria from foreign control. Conferences between the Dowager Empress and the leading statesmen, it is added, have convinced her that any other policy would be tantamount to dynastic suicide, as the dishonor of the ancestral tombs implied by foreign domination would be unpardonable in the eyes of the Chinese, and unless a vigorous effort is made to reassert Manchu authority, the Tai Pings and Kolashui will attempt to restore the Ming dynasty, with the result of the complete destruction of China.

The correspondent adds that the Dowager has been informed that some of the foreign offices are willing to give the Manchus a final opportunity of rehabilitating themselves, even to the extent of aiding them by force, if necessary, providing the Manchu government is sincerely favorable to reform.

The Russian Minister at Peking, the correspondent says, has learned of the result of the conference, and is convinced that in the event of war China will be forced to participate, with the result that the whole world will probably become involved.

"In the meantime," the dispatch concludes, "Japan, though ostensibly engaged with its own quarrel, is really the spokesman of the whole group of powers devoted to the policy of anti-partition, and who have virtually agreed to get her to defend China."

IN SNOW AND WOE.

Northeast Suffers Most Severely

Long Island Sound a Compact Ice Floe from New York to New Haven.

Metropolis is Without Milk and Fears a Famine in Food and Fuel.

Disastrous Floods in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The general forecast issued by the Weather Bureau today says:

"Nothing has occurred since Thursday night to lessen the gravity of the flood situation on the Upper Ohio. The weather conditions continue favorable to a rapid breaking-up of the ice in the rivers and small streams of Central and Eastern Pennsylvania, Southern New York, West Virginia and Western Maryland."

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] During the past two days, New York, New Jersey and New England have been subjected to the worst storms within the memory of the oldest present generation, or the traditions of their fathers, and there is no present prospect of a statement. Rain, sleet and fog have fallen upon an unprecedented fall of snow that covers the hard-frozen ground, causing the melted snow and rain to rush over it as if on porcelain, and bringing terror to the inhabitants of low-lying sections, particularly in river valleys.

Paterson, N. J., is in very grave danger of a flood more serious than that of several years ago. Ice is jammed up against the bridges twenty feet high, forming great dams, and in view of the vast territory of watershed above and below Passaic Falls, the inhabitants wear very apprehensive faces.

In Connecticut, strong northeasterly gales have been piling up ice into the neck of the Sound, until now there is an immense floe 60 miles long and 12 miles broad.

Long Island Sound is a compact ice floe, from New York to New Haven. Hundreds of vessels, large and small, are frozen hard in the Sound, the crews walking to shore. No such sight has ever shocked the eyes of skippers or landsmen.

Throughout the interior, the condition of roads has caused postponement of funerals, and business is paralyzed. Imprisoned passengers on the railroads are fed by citizens near by, who approach the trains on snowshoes. Passenger traffic is almost at a standstill, as people are afraid to take risks. Freight trains have been stalled almost everywhere for forty-eight hours, some being buried in from 12 to 20 feet of snow.

New York is fearing a probable food and coal famine, as it does not carry but five days' supply of food for its 4,000,000 people. Ice blocks the water, while snow and flood block the rail tributaries of supply. The city is practically without milk now.

LONG ISLAND SOUND.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Long Island Sound is a compact field from shore to shore, and from Hellgate to New Haven, Ct. Only the largest steamers went through during last night. Hundreds of sailing vessels and big ocean-going tugs are frozen in the fields with their tows. Strong northeasterly gales have been piling up ice into the neck of the sound, and cakes five inches thick are gathering in a great floe sixty miles long and twelve miles wide at New Haven.

Through its center a narrow strip of thin ice, fringed with lofty hummocks, marks the path arduously broken out by the Fall River liners. The oldest skippers on the Sound declare that the condition is something new to them. Considerable loss is being caused by the delay in moving freight.

Fog blanketed New York Bay and Harbor during the day. Long Island Sound was impassable except to the most powerful steamers, scores of coastwise vessels and tugs were frozen fast in the ice, which filled both rivers and the harbor, and an ice pack in Newark Harbor placed three cities and all the towns on the Passaic River below Passaic Falls in danger of floods. As the watershed above Passaic Falls is frozen solid, all the precipitation must run into the river, and Newark Bay is frozen so as to leave no outlet.

In this city, sleet rendered walking dangerous for man or horse and many cases of serious injury were reported.

No vessels were reported as leaving quarantine, and fog bells were kept ringing. Captains or seamen of nearly one hundred small ice-blocked vessels

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INTEND TO FIGHT IF THEY SEE FIT.

Neither Japan Nor Russia Will Accept Mediation from Others.

Serious Disturbance Among Koreans Near Pyeng Yang—Attacks Made Upon Japanese Railway Men at Several Points Between Seoul and Fusan—Probability of Armed Interference if Troubles Continue.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Associated Press is officially informed that the Japanese government will not accept the mediation of any foreign powers.

DID NOT PRESS THEM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—It is learned that the United States government has been cautiously and quietly making inquiries at the various foreign capitals supposed to be particularly interested in a peaceful solution of the eastern problem with a view to ascertaining whether anything could be done toward bringing Russia and Japan together. It soon developed that neither of these principals was willing to solicit the good offices of outside powers in the adjustment of their disputes, so the movement was never formally initiated.

DISTURBANCE NEAR PYENG YAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—.. serious native disturbance has occurred in the interior near Pyeng Yang, cables the Seoul correspondent of the Herald. The authorities are apprehensive that it may spread.

ATTACKED JAPANESE LABORERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—A special dispatch from Seoul, dated today, says Japanese railway men have been attacked by Koreans at several points along the Seoul-Fusan Railway and that the Korean authorities have been notified that unless they prevent a recurrence of these objectionable disorders, necessary measures to do so will be taken by the Japanese troops.

WASHINGTON APPREHENSIVE.

TOO MUCH KOREAN TROUBLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The situation in Korea is arousing fresh apprehensions of renewed trouble in the Far East. It has been the opinion of military experts that in the event of war between Russia and Japan, Korea would be made the battle ground, at least in the beginning.

Mr. Allen, the American Minister at Seoul, cabled the State Department today from Seoul, as follows: "Considerable disturbances throughout Korea. The Japanese have been attacked in many places."

It is learned that in view of the possibility of Korea being unable to afford proper protection to Japanese subjects, the Tokio authorities have dispatched a Japanese military officer of the highest rank, namely, a major-general, to Seoul, where he will be in a position to direct any military operations that Japanese troops may undertake. The Korean government has 3500 men under arms, but they have not been trained in a modern school of war, and resemble constabulary rather than soldiers. It is anticipated here that Japan, in Korea, will repeat the performance of Russia in Manchuria, and make the disturbances on the Japanese Railway the ground for a military occupation of the line in great force, corresponding to the Russian occupation of the Manchurian Railway.

RUSSIANS ENTER NEWCHWANG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—A dispatch to the Central News from Newchwang dated January 20, says 6000 Russian soldiers entered Newchwang, January 19. The municipal affairs of Newchwang are managed by a Russian commissioner, and acting on his orders the Chinese merchants displayed Russian colors when the troops marched into the city.

MORE NERVOUSNESS.

RUSSIANS HEAR ABOUT JAPAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 22.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Czar has not yet called the council to consider the Japanese reply, but it is said at the Foreign Office that the summons may be issued any day. The delay, coupled with dispatches from Tokio saying that Japan is armed and grimly awaiting, has caused a slight renewal of public nervousness which was reflected by the weakness on the Bourse today. This alarm is seemingly not shared in the higher government circles, where it is insisted that the Czar's pacific declarations were not idle words. The worst that is now anticipated in the breakdown of the negotiations in the event of Russia's response being unacceptable to Japan.

The papers today publish prominently the Associated Press statement that the United States Asiatic squadron will remain in Philippine waters. The Gazette, in pointing out the mischief caused by erroneous statements that Admiral Evans's destination was Yokohampho, Korea, instead of Olongapo, Subig Bay, near Manila, welcomes the correction as evidence that the United States will not meddle in the quarrel.

SENSATIONAL STATEMENTS.

JAPS LAND AT MASAMPHO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The delay in the Russian reply to the latest note from Japan is causing the customary crop of sensational statements pointing to the imminence of war in the Far East. The Daily Graphic this morning says it understands that there is no likelihood of a compromise, owing to the unyielding attitude of Japan on the Manchurian question, and the fact that in her last note to Russia Japan struck out the whole article in the draft of the treaty relating to the demand of Russia for a neutral zone.

The correspondent of the Morning Post at Chefoo has sent in an alarming report that 12,000 Japanese troops have landed at Masampao, in southern Korea, and the Port Arthur correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald also refers in a dispatch to the fact that the news of the occupation of Masampho is being received calmly. The reports are not confirmed from any other source and they are discredited by Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Minister to Great Britain.

Special dispatches from Seoul say the Emperor of Korea has appointed a new Cabinet, with Yi Yon Gik as Minister of War and Finance. Yi Yon Gik has ordered 10,000 rifles for the army.

Reports have been sent in from Chefoo that quantities of dynamite have been found under the bridges of the Manchurian line above Port Arthur. The supposed intention was to blow up the bridges as soon as hostilities began.

The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Mail sends the following dispatch: The Jiji Shimpo says that on the day following the ratification of the Chinese-American treaty, Russia notified Japan that it was useless to negotiate a neutral zone on the Yalu, as the ratification of both treaties showed that Manchuria was Chinese domain."

Cabling from Shanghai, the correspondent there of the Daily Mail declares that the Chinese government has learned that Russia is sending a large force to Chinese Turkestan.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph cables to his paper as follows: "I learn that difficulty has arisen through reluctance to grant the same freedom of immigration into Manchuria to the Japanese as to other foreigners, for fear that the Japanese would soon overrun the province. Whatever concessions, however, Russia offers regarding Manchuria, will probably be offered in the first instance to the United States."

NOMINATE PRESIDENT BY ACCLAMATION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The President's friends in Washington are especially gratified that the first two conventions that have met in the country have declared for him and instructed their delegates unequivocally for him.

The first convention to do this was that of the Territory of Alaska, held at Juneau in November last. The six delegates from there are hard and fast for the President. The action of the Florida convention, a few days ago, was pleasing in view of the widespread impression that Senator Hanna or some other candidate could have the delegates from the Southern States almost without a struggle, if desired. The Florida delegation is so soundly pledged to the President that there is at last an awakening to the fact that some mistakes must have been made as to the attitude of Southern Republicans. Instructions from southern Republican conventions have been rare in the past, as the leaders have never desired to be pinned to any particular candidate. The campaign for instructions will be pushed right along by the Republican managers, with the result that many conventions, State and district, that have never before instructed their delegates, will do so in future, so that no opening may be left for a needless fight in the convention.

"Nomination by acclamation" is now the slogan, and the belief increases that this will be the outcome of the national convention. Senator Foraker, who got back from Ohio yesterday, was the first visitor with the President this morning. Because of a committee meeting, Senator Foraker did not get to talk long with the President about the situation in Ohio. That he talked on this subject and will again talk with the President along these lines is certain. There does not any longer seem to be an opinion that Foraker will continue to fight for instructed delegates in Ohio. His best friends in the State have written to him that it would be unwise to attempt a fight for instructions, and as these friends know the condition of affairs, Senator Foraker will abide by their judgment.

It is believed that Senator Hanna will not object to Senator Foraker being elected a delegate-at-large from the State to the convention, providing the fight against Senator Hanna is not continued by the Foraker people. If that fight is continued, Senator Hanna's followers will, it is said, prevent Senator Foraker going to the convention as delegate-at-large. This would be regarded as a serious blow to the political prospects of Senator Foraker in the State.

It is understood that the President will not permit himself to be drawn into any factional trouble, either in Ohio or any other State, and Senator Foraker understands the President's position in this regard.

TENNESSEE SOLID FOR HIM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NASHVILLE, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There is a big Republican representation here tonight at a meeting of the State Committee tomorrow. Zachary Taylor of Memphis said: "Every delegate from Tennessee will be for the President."

L. W. Dutro, postmaster at Memphis, said: "There's no sign of dissension. There will be a solid Roosevelt front, all along the line of Tennessee Republicanism."

KENTUCKY WANTS HIM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Former Gov. Bradley said tonight: "I have declared myself a candidate for delegate-at-large in the interest of the President. There are many people who say the complexion of the Kentucky delegation is in doubt. It cannot remain in doubt if the issue is made for the President, because the voters want him."

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago had clearer and colder weather today. Maximum, 38 degs.; minimum, 26. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 18; Bismarck, 2 below; Cairo, 30; Cheyenne, 18; Cincinnati, 34; Cleveland, 34; Concordia, 30; Davenport, 23; Denver, 26; Des Moines, 14; Detroit, 28; Dodge, 12; Dubuque, 20; Duluth, 12; Edmonton, 4 below; Escanaba, 22; Grand Rapids, 28; Green Bay, 20; Helena, 22; Huron, 0; Indianapolis, 30; Kansas City, 24; Lander, 30; Little Rock, 32; Marquette, 20; Milwaukee, 34; Minnedosa, 18 below; Moorhead, 8 below; North Platte, 38; Omaha, 16; Pueblo, 30; Rapid City, 32; St. Louis, 34; St. Paul, 8; Sault Ste Marie, 14; Springfield, Ill., 26; Springfield, Mo., 24; Wichita, 32.

BANKER'S SON SENTENCED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHARLESTON (Ill.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The jury in the W. K. Honn murder case returned a verdict of guilty today, and Judge Thompson sentenced the defendant to the penitentiary for from five to twenty years. The prisoner is a son of W. H. Honn, a banker of Ashmore. He is 25 years of age. The crime for which he was sentenced was wife murder. He was compelled to marry Mahala Galbraith, a playmate from his youth, and caused her death by poison.

PARROT SCARES BURGLAR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

IOWA CITY (Iowa) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Mexican parrot belonging to Mrs. I. Schooley drove away a burglar today and saved its mistress many dollars' worth of valuables. The burglar was at work when the parrot began to scream for help. Its cries brought Mrs. Schooley just as the badly-scared burglar took flight.

ROUGH RIDER INDICTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CORY (Pa.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. Buckin, Jr., of Jamestown, a former Rough Rider, yesterday was indicted on a charge of petty larceny by the grand jury. Judge Wheeler accepted bail for $200.

"DEAD MAN" RESTORED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A man apparently dead from an electric shock was restored to life today by use of atropine and artificial respiration. Valentine Young accidentally touched a live trolley wire. There was no sign of life left in him. Dr. McGann tried artificial respiration and infusions of atropine, and the man returned to consciousness.

DENVER MILLINER'S WINDFALL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Carrie Ashmore, a milliner, learned that the entire fortune of a rich uncle who recently died was $66,000, and on Wednesday she left Denver for Ashmore, Ill., to claim the inheritance.

TOOK MILWAUKEE FOR CHICAGO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two women and a baby from Jefferson City, Mo., reached here today, having traveled across the country in a covered wagon on the way to Chicago. The party consisted of Mrs. Libbie Carter, Mrs. Mattie Kelly, aged 16 years, who was deserted by husband, and her 3-year-old baby. They were densely ignorant, and refused to believe that they had gone hundreds of miles out of the way.

THE SURPRISE WAS THEIRS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ELGIN (Ill.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fearing that burglars were attempting to enter her residence, last night, Mrs. John Waterman, of No. 300 Spring street, sent two revolver bullets through the front door at a party of friends who came to surprise her on the first anniversary of her wedding. One bullet knocked the hat from the head of a prominent society man of this place.

SHOT SON—NOT CAT.

Charles Walker, living three miles from here, fatally wounded his 7-year-old son, who was holding a lantern while the father was trying to kill a cat. The father held the cat in one hand and his revolver in the other. Just as he fired the cat wiggled away, and the bullet struck the boy.

LAW STUDENT EXPELLED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANN ARBOR (Mich.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James G. Hanby, the junior law student who was arrested a week ago for stealing books from the room of E. J. Summer, another student, pleaded guilty to larceny today, and Justice Doty fined him $100 and $12.90 costs. Hanby has been expelled from the university.

PAT CROWE AGAIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Harry Fisher, the crook who represented himself to be an Oklahoma deputy marshal and stole $250 worth of garments and jewelry from a clerk in Adler's store, is thought to have been the notorious Pat Crowe. Detective Mitchell says: "Fisher's description fits Pat Crowe perfectly."

DEFAULTER DOES CLEVELAND BANK.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE BANKING COMPANY HEAVY LOSER.

Official Speculated Away Hundred and Seventy Thousand Dollars, and Institution Has to Close Its Doors. Depositors Protested.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Jan. 22.—The Produce Exchange Banking Company, corner Broadway and Central avenue, closed its doors today. The insolvency court has appointed the Cleveland Trust Company as receivers. The assets and liabilities of the bank are each placed at $1,500,000.

Attorney Andrew Squire, on behalf of the bank, made the following statement this afternoon: "There is a defaulter to the extent of $170,000, which is more than the paid-in capital and surplus combined. The original capital is $200,000, but only $50 per share was paid in. The depositors will be protected fully. The stockholders will have to pay in $100,000 more on their capital stock, and $50,000 in stockholders' liability. The directors worked all day trying to make up the deficiency, but the burden was too heavy, and they decided to close the bank.

"The defaulting official has been speculating in Chicago grain. He covered his peculations by manipulating the bank's loan accounts. He voluntarily confessed yesterday. He will be taken into custody this afternoon. The directors know where he is."

It is announced that branches of the Produce Exchange Bank of Defiance, Hudson and Bedford, O., will be closed at once as a result of the failure.

SMALL DEPOSITORS UNEASY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

An official of the bank is now under guard at his home. He will be taken before the grand jury tomorrow and will, according to the statements of the bank officials tonight, plead guilty to the charge of embezzlement. An indictment will be brought against him and the case hurried to trial.

There is a great deal of uneasiness among the depositors, many of whom are small merchants, Italians and those of other nationalities who sell fruit and vegetables from door to door, and who deposited their money in the Produce Exchange Bank. It is said the irregularity has been going on for eight years.

MAKES ANOTHER BANK CLOSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DEFIANCE (O.) Jan. 22.—A telegram was received today at the office of the Produce Exchange Bank, a branch of the failed bank in Cleveland of the same name, ordering that the doors here be closed immediately. The cashier is in Asaland, Wis., on private business. The Defiance bank has $200.00 deposits, and, aside from its connection with the Cleveland bank, was in good condition, according to local officers. The effect of the Defiance bank closing its doors will be bad, it is feared.

IN HANDS OF RECEIVER.

SPR[illegible] have been appointed for the Home Publishing Company and the New Era Publishing Company, upon suits filed by creditors. The total liabilities of the two concerns aggregate $150,000, while the assets of the firm are placed at $75,000. The Home Publishing Company, which publishes the "Chautauqua" by lease, is the principal factor in the failure. The "Chautauqua" will be published as heretofore, a company having been incorporated to continue its publication.

SMALLPOX IN THE ARMY.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 22.—The presence of smallpox among the troops of Jefferson Barracks has resulted in the vaccination of all the men in the Fourth and Eighth regiments of cavalry, and it has been decided to postpone a ball scheduled for tomorrow evening. Lieut. Frank E. Davis has been removed to the county quarantine station suffering with the disease, and Lieuts. Cox, Watson and Keller have been quarantined in their quarters.

Balloting at Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS (Md.) Jan. 22.—There was no material change in the ballot today for United States Senator to succeed McComas.

FREDERIC J. HASKIN'S letter from Panama in The Times Magazine tomorrow will give valuable information in regard to the prospects for American enterprise in Panama.

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...BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]
...N FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—The offi... of Wells, Fargo & Co. in this city ... their previous statements, that ... express safe stolen from the Sunset ... train near San Luis Obispo ... but a small amount of treas... Information from the scene of ... is that the suspect arrested ... remains in custody, pending ... investigation. The circumstan... against him is said to be ... The robber is believed to have ... and suspicious char... are being closely watched. ... believed by the detectives ... Southern Pacific Company and ... Fargo & Co. to be the robbers ... in jail in San Luis Obispo. The ... are out along the railroad ... mountains near the town of ... Obispo, hunting for two more ... who are said to have had part ... money. ... received in this city from ... detectives state that they ... the right men are in custody. ... suspects is said to look like ... man. This corroborates the ... suspicions of the officials that ... was the work of hobos, with ... of an accomplice familiar with ... of the express and bag...

Andrew Christeson of the ... company said today that the ... of his company will not ex... He thought the actual loss ... that being the amount ... by the men investigating the ... Messenger Sullivan, he said, ... of all responsibility in con... with the robbery. ... by section hands on the ... was found near the broken ... strong box, in the hills—a ... strengthening the belief ... man had something to ... the robbery, or that the robber ... The mail pouches, ... contents, which were found ... railroad track about a mile ... Luis Obispo, proved to be ... up at that town. That they ... by tramps while the mail ... at night for the fast train ...

...under arrest at San Luis ... taken from prison today ... A search of his cloth... several $5 bills, bearing ... of needles used by the ex... in sewing them together, ... previously found in his ... has been fully identified ... paid a tramp $4 for a ... bought a new hat for ... Obispo. He paid $5 to ... him the way to that ... he had his mustache ...

...tracks made by the robbers ... whole and torn express ... envelopes open and ... showing that the safe had ... contained some $1000 or $1200. ... from Port Harford today ... several officers to go there to ... three suspicious characters seen ... neighborhood. Other officers ... Guadaloupe. Every hobo or ... stranger is being detained ... to give an account of himself ... officers at San Luis Obispo.

...CT REFUSES TO TALK.
...DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
...LUIS OBISPO, Jan. 22.—[Ex... Dispatch.] Nothing new has ... to light today in the express... ...ery. Several detectives were ... working with the local officers, ... to fix the crime upon the man ... in jail, who is regarded as the ... He still refuses to talk ... himself.

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...RSITY OF CALIFORNIA, ... flows of one of the most im... geological discoveries ever ... South America has just been ... from Astronomer W. H. ... head of the Lick Observatory ... now in Chile. The find is a ... perfect specimen of Ichthyosaurus, and the significance of the ... lies in the fact that South ... has never been known pre... to contain any specimens of ... Silurians, so valuable ... the interesting fossil was ... Coquimbo, Chile, and ... been unearthed in al... condition. Other valuable ... have been found in the same ... Merriam, occupying the ... of paleontology and historical ... at the university, says that, so ... is aware, no specimen has ... found which rivals this one ... or in scientific value. ... de Mortillet, a member of ... Scientific Commission, at ... living in South America, has ... to Coquimbo for the pur... of making the fossil skeleton ...

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...Jan. 22.—Lying at St. ... hospital in this city, suffer... the shock of a railroad acci... evening, necessitating the ... of her left foot and two ... of the left hand, Mrs. D. C. ... does not know that her hus... ...away this morning of a ... of diseases at the age of ...

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...WALLACE HOPPER'S TURN.
...CONTRADICTIES IN WILL CASE.
...THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]
...RIA (B. C.) Jan. 22.—Edna ... Hopper was called today to ... material evidence in the suit ... against James Dunsmuir to ... the will of his brother. She told ... witness with Mounteford Will... San Francisco attorney, re... the state of Alexander Duns... and the ground for an ... of the will. She denied that ... Dunsmuir had dined at San Leandro ... stated in their evidence, and ...

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denied the statement of Agnew that she (the witness) had insulted Alexander Dunsmuir.

She told of discussions with Dr. Thorne, now acting for defendant at New York, regarding the will and the agreement of James Dunsmuir with her mother. Dr. Thorne told her that Dunsmuir was incompetent, and there would be no difficulty in upsetting the will. The witness insisted on adding the statement, which was considered evidence to her answers, and was reproved by the judge on the objection of counsel for the defense.

HUNG, DESPITE KINKS IN LAWS.

PLEASANT ARMSTRONG PAYS PENALTY OF HIS CRIME.

Oregon Murderer of Girl Who Broke Engagement Says He's Sorry, Then Mounts Scaffold—Peculiar Legal Fight All in Vain.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

BAKER CITY (Or.) Jan. 22.—Pleasant Armstrong, who murdered Minnie Ensminger near Haines, in this county, on Christmas morning, 1902, was executed in the jail yard here this morning. His neck was broken by the fall. The execution was perfect as to detail. Armstrong maintained his iron nerve until the last. He made a brief address to the assembled crowd, saying that he was sorry for his crime, but that he was going to meet the girl, Minnie Ensminger. At the close of his address, he knelt and received the last sacrament of the Roman Catholic Church, administered by Father Olivette, his confessor.

The crime for which Pleasant Armstrong was executed was the cold-blooded murder of Minnie Ensminger at the ranch of her brother-in-law, Joseph Henner, near Haines, Or., on Christmas night, 1902. Miss Ensminger had broken her engagement with Armstrong, who sought her life in revenge.

At the conclusion of a dance which was held at the ranch, Miss Ensminger in company with others of the party, started from the house to the barnyard where the teams had been left. Armstrong was lying in wait and when the girl passed him he drew a revolver and shot her twice. He then turned the weapon upon himself and fired, the bullet grazing his forehead, stunning him temporarily. The male members of the party immediately seized Armstrong and prepared to lynch him. The Sheriff had in the meantime been summoned and arrived on the scene before the lynching could take place. Armstrong's captors were persuaded to surrender their prisoner under the plea that it would be wise to defer hanging until after the death of Miss Ensminger, the Sheriff holding out hope that the young woman would survive her injuries. Miss Ensminger died the following morning without regaining consciousness.

Armstrong was convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged the following May, under a law then in existence which provided that hangings should be conducted by the Sheriff of the county in which the crime was committed. A few days prior to the date set for the hanging a new law went into effect providing that hangings should take place at the State penitentiary, under the guidance of the warden.

After his conviction, Armstrong's attorneys appealed the case in the Supreme Court and a stay of execution was granted, pending a determination of the question involved by the tribunal. The Supreme Court affirmed the case and the date for the execution was reset for January 22, 1904. Armstrong's attorneys immediately attacked the validity of the death warrant, contending that Armstrong was under sentence to be hanged by an official who, under the new law, was lacking authority, and appealed to the Supreme Court. Before the Supreme Court could hear the case, the Legislature, in extraordinary session, amended the new law so as to provide for the hanging of condemned murderers sentenced during the life of the old law.

As the date for the execution drew near, Armstrong's attorneys applied for and were refused a stay of execution by the Supreme Court. An appeal to the Federal District Court on the same grounds resulted in a ruling that, as it was only contended that the place and executing officer had been changed by the new law, the rights of the condemned man had not in any way been affected. Yesterday the State Supreme Court rendered its decision to the effect that the death warrant was valid, and so the law was allowed to take its course.

DRAWN BEFORE CHILD'S BIRTH.

UNPROVIDED FOR IN WILL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—When the estate valued at $100,000, left by Mrs. Ella Roberts Wilson Smith came up in court today for distribution it developed that deceased had made the will ten days before the birth of her last child, for whom no provision was made in the document. The estate was left to the husband and daughter. Attorney Garrett McEnerny appeared on behalf of the second child, a boy born ten days after the date of the will, and asked that the court take such action as will give this child a proportionate share of the estate.

MRS. FAIR UNRECOGNIZABLE.

DEPOSITION IN WILL CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—The taking of depositions in the case of Mrs. Nelson and her sons against the Fair estate heirs over the estate of the late Charles L. Fair and his wife, Caroline Fair, was resumed this afternoon. The line of questions was aimed at finding the truth of the post-mortem examination in this city on the bodies of Charles L. Fair and his wife, and also to trace the bodies to the grave.

James W. Bollen, an undertaker, testified that he was present when the physicians examined the bodies and assisted in the funeral. In the course of his testimony, Bollen stated that while the caskets containing the remains of Fair and his wife were exactly alike and the conditions the same, the head and neck of Mrs. Fair was in a bad condition, the upper and lower jaws were broken and dislocated, and the face disfigured so as to make it impossible to recognize it, while the body was in an advanced state of decomposition. In the course of the inquiry it developed that the face and head of Charles L. Fair were less injured and no bones broken, that Bollen recognized the features at a glance, and the body was in a better state of preservation.

HOBO SLASHES CHINAMAN.

TRIED TO GET FREE SUPPER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Jan. 22.—W. J. Tobin, a hobo, was brought here from Gila Bend, charged with assault to kill. The charge will probably be changed to that of murder. With another hobo, he entered a Chinese restaurant, got supper and then tried to run away without paying. He was caught at the door, when, pulling a razor, he slashed one Chinaman frightfully, probably fatally, and would have treated another likewise, but his razor broke.

BUY PEAT LANDS.

LOS ANGELES MEN'S DEAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 22.—Frederick Rindge and associates of Los Angeles, represented here by Lee A. Phillips, today bought 8000 acres of unreclaimed peat lands from the Ross Sargent estate, making the peat land holdings of the Los Angeles capitalists in San Joaquin county 25,000 acres, all thoroughly reclaimed except today's purchase. Seven dredgers will be put in the new reclamation at once. The purchase price was about $200,000.

SHOP-LIFTER IS BURGLAR.

SUPREME-COURT DEFINITION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—According to a definition of burglary given by the Supreme Court today, any person who enters a house, room, or store with the intent to commit larceny or other felony is held to be guilty of burglary. It is expressly stated that it makes no difference whether the criminal forces an entrance or enters with the consent of the owner. Shop-lifters, under the new interpretation of the law, are burglars.

The decision was rendered in the case of Frank Brittain and J. P. Johnson, convicted in Santa Rosa of shoplifting. Their attorney appealed the case on the ground that they had not broken into the store and as the value of the goods taken was less than $50, they could only be charged with petty larceny.

RUSSIANIZE ALASKA.

PRIESTS DOMINATE PEOPLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Jan. 22.—A letter from Valdes tells of Russian priests dominating a large portion of the population of Western Alaska, forbidding the teaching of the English language to those under their control, and generally endeavoring to Russianize the natives of that section of Alaska.

OAKLANDERS COMING.

BOARD OF TRADE EXCURSION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Oakland Board of Trade is planning an excursion of the business men of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley to Los Angeles February 8. At a special meeting of the board this afternoon, Charles J. Heeseman, George T. Forsythe and Edwin Stearns were appointed a committee to make arrangements for the trip.

The excursionists will have a special train, which will leave First street and Broadway in the morning of February 8 and will reach Los Angeles the same evening. A special rate has been obtained, which will enable excursionists, to return on any train within seven days.

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SLOPE BRIEFS.

Students With Pick and Shovel.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 22.—Twelve hundred students of the University of California will do a day's work with pick and shovel February 29, for the purpose of grading the new athletic field college campus. They will invite the professors to help them in the work and "co-eds" will serve lunches. Eight years ago the students turned out to build a pathway across the college campus.

Civil Service Suit Dropped.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—In the suit of Frank J. Symmes, president of the Merchants' Association, against the Board of Public Works to enjoin it from removing civil-service employés in violation of the charter and the civil-service rules, an answer sworn to by every member of the Board of Public Works has been served upon the attorneys for Symmes, in which the board disclaims any such intention. Symmes then instructed his attorneys to dismiss the same.

Mangled Miner Sues Company.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—Samuel C. Pierce has sued the Mountain Copper Company, an English corporation owning mines in Shasta county, in the United States Circuit Court for $30,000 damages. Pierce, while in the employ of the company, had his right arm cut off at the shoulder and his right foot and leg mangled by swiftly-revolving machinery. He claims that the machinery was revolving so swiftly that it could not be seen, that it was wrongly placed and that he was not properly instructed.

Nephews and Nieces Heirs.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—The will of Charles F. Doe provides for the distribution of an estate valued at nearly $2,000,000. Besides the bequest to the State University, already announced, it devises the bulk of the estate to twenty-two nephews and nieces, their shares ranging from $40,000 to $100,000 each, according to age and conditions. A large proportion of these heirs live in the Eastern States. Charitable institutions of this city are also provided for in sums ranging from $8000 to $12,000.

Case of Consumptive Prisoner.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 22.—Gov. Pardee today rendered a commutation of sentence in the case of Emma Wingate, a woman serving a sentence of thirty days for vagrancy in the Alameda County Jail. The woman is suffering from consumption in an advanced stage, and is confined in a room with fifteen other woman prisoners. She will be sent to the County Hospital.

Oriental Business Poor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—It is said that the Chinese-American Commercial Company, organized eighteen months ago with a capital of $1,500,000, is now rapidly settling up its affairs, and will surrender its charter in the near future. The prospects for business in the Orient, did not, it is said, warrant continuation.

Corpse's Back Full of Shot.

POINT RICHMOND, Jan. 22.—The autopsy upon the body of Edward J. Sexton, which was found in the marsh near here yesterday, showed that the back was full of shot. W. J. Davis and James Clancey are in jail, upon suspicion.

McKowen Did Not Plead Guilty.

OAKLAND, Jan. 22.—W. A. McKowen appeared in court today, but did not plead guilty to the charge of embezzling the funds of the University of California. The case went over for one week.

Discovered Sawing Out of Jail.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—With fine steel saws, supposed to have been supplied by relatives of one of the men, three prisoners confined at Branch County Jail, No. 2, attempted to gain their liberty this morning. Had it not been for the prompt discovery by a guard, all would have escaped. The men are Thomas Kelley, alias Frank Callahan, E. H. Leroy and Andrew Metzinger.

Stanford Senior Class President.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 22.—E. G. Brua of San Bernardino was today elected president of the senior class of 1904, which will garduate in May. The opposition candidate was E. C. Rittenhouse of Santa Cruz, and the choice of Brua was the result of a three-cornered fight, which resulted in no election last Wednesday. Brua is registered in the department of civil engineering, and was made a student assistant to the faculty of that department in his junior year.

Prominent Fruit Man Very Ill.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 22.—Former State Senator William Johnston, a prominent and wealthy fruit grower, is critically sick at his country seat on the Sacramento River near Courtland, fifteen miles below this city. He has suffered three strokes of paralysis.

Murder Suspect Kills Himself.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—William J. Sabin, who has been held in the County Jail for trial for the murder of his wife, Nellie Sabin, committed suicide in his cell today by cutting his throat from ear to ear.

San Jose Railroad Squabble.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 22.—At 5 o'clock tonight a force of men attempted to excavate here for the railroad. Jim Rea and his forces were forcible in their opposition, and the police had difficulty in preventing a hand-to-hand battle. About this time, a writ of injunction was served upon the Interurban Company, J. W. Rea and others, restraining them from interfering with Center's men in the placing of their wires. Both crews are at work stretching wires tonight, without sign of discord, but no attempt is being made at track-laying. Late tonight the Rea Company secured an injunction preventing Center from interfering with the operation of the Interurban Road.

Fire at Vallejo Junction.

VALLEJO JUNCTION, Jan. 22.—The Vallejo Junction Hotel was destroyed by fire early this morning. The loss will amount to several thousand dollars.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR FIRE.

Powers, in More Ways Than One Interested in Iroquois Theater, Says It Wasn't His Fault.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Harry J. Powers, one of the resident owners and associate manager of the Iroquois Theater, took the stand before the Coroner's jury today. Before taking any testimony, Coroner Treager requested that Will Davis, the other resident owner of the Iroquois, retire from the room during the examination of Powers. The request was complied with.

Powers told the jury the reason the Iroquois Theater had no fire apparatus was because the house fireman, Sailer, had not ordered it. It was Sailer's business, he said, to provide such things. Sailer was there for such a purpose and had come recommended by Assistant Chief Campion of the fire department. Powers also placed responsibility on the Fuller Construction Company, which, he said, was supposed to be constructing the building according to law. He declared that Business Manager Noonan, Stage Carpenter Cummings and Chief Usher Dusenberry were entrusted with looking after details.

REFUSES TO PLACE BLAME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Powers placed the responsibility for the management of the theater upon Davis, who was the active manager. The blame for the fire and the consequent loss of life he put upon employés who, he said, did not perform their full duty.

When it came the turn for Davis to testify he refused to place the blame upon any particular person, but said he had confidence that the employés of the theater would attend to their business properly and he also believed that the Fuller Construction Company would erect the building in compliance with the city ordinances. Personally, he said he knew nothing whatever of the laws demanded in the construction of a theater, although he had been managing theaters in Chicago for twenty years. He had a general knowledge of what was necessary, but he had never read the city laws covering the construction and operation of theaters.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

After being out on bail for a month, and spending Christmas and New Year's with his family, James Swaney, the mountaineer, convicted of second-degree murder, December 22, for the killing of "Big Bill" Turner at Haydentown, has returned to court at Uniontown, Pa., and received his sentence of fourteen years in the penitentiary.

The grand jury which for the past month has been investigating charges of boodling in Kansas City, Kan., in connection with the Board of Education in the appointment of teachers and the awarding of school contracts, and in the case of city officials for protection to gambling and joints, or illicit saloons, finished its work and is voting upon seventeen indictments.

But little progress was made in the trial of Eben S. Blydenburg, on trial at Eldora, Iowa, for the alleged poisoning of his third wife. Witnesses testified to the sale of arsenic and to dissatisfaction by Mrs. Blydenburg, prior to her death, and to her having determined to leave her husband.

All cases against Frank Siegel, president of the defunct Siegel-Sanders Live Stock Commission Company, who was charged with embezzling on seven indictments, were dismissed by the prosecuting attorney at Kansas City. The prosecutor stated that as one of the cases had been dismissed, there was no chance of convicting him on the others.

Cyrus R. McCartney, a newspaper man of La Porte, Ind., who disappeared several years ago, and was supposed to have been murdered, has been heard from in a telegram from him at Dawson, Alaska. McCartney says he is well and rich.

The body of Miss Sarah Schaefer, a teacher in the Bedford (Ind.) High School, was found in a carriage house. She had been assaulted and robbed and the body mutilated. The appearance of the shed indicated a struggle with her assailant.

The Lumber Exporters' National Association, in convention in New York, has chosen the following officers: President, W. H. Russe, Memphis; treasurer, Richard W. Price, Baltimore; traffic manager and secretary, Elliott Lang, Memphis.

The report circulated in the United States from The Hague that the ex-President Kruger is so feeble that his friends are most anxious regarding him, is incorrect. He is enjoying excellent health.

Ned Howard Fowler, leading man of the Empire Theater Stock Company, shot and killed himself in the presence of his wife, Laura Nelson Holl, whom he married recently, at Columbus, O. Nervousness, due to overwork, is assigned as the cause.

The Missouri Press Association, meeting in annual session at St. Louis, expelled former Lieut.-Gov. John A. Lee and I. L. Page, editor of the Bonne Terre (Mo.) Star, because of their alleged connection with boodle scandals in Jefferson City.

President Harper of Chicago University and G. Meichers, the artist, have been decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor.

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Flannelette Skirts 65c.
Plain white flannelette skirts, made with ruffle, with three silk cords. Special 65c.

Flannelette Skirts 85c.
Plain daisy flannelette skirts, made with pointed ruffle, with 2-inch torchon lace edge. Special at 85c.

75c and 65c Men's Flannelette Night Shirts 50c.
This lot comprises broken sizes of our best 65c and 75c flannelette gowns. They are made of an extra quality of flannelette, full length and extra wide. Come in medium colors, both in stripes and plaids. Sizes 15, 16, 17 and 18. On sale Saturday at 50c.

35c Women's Hose 25c Pr.
Women's fast black wool hose; also in natural gray. Regular 35c grade; to close out Saturday 25c per pair.

19c Children's Hose 12½c Pr.
These are fast black hose, made for hard wear, made with double knee, heel and toe. Hale's regular 19c hose; special for Saturday, 12½c pair.

25c & 35c Children's Hose 20c.
These are odd lines, but all sizes are among the lot. Our regular 25c and 35c hosiery; special for Saturday 20c per pair.

35c Misses' Hose 25c Pr.
Extra fine ribbed hose, with lisle finish. These sell regularly at 35c; special for Saturday, 25c pair.

Men's Hose 5c Pr.
January Clearance Sale of men's medium-weight hosiery, a small lot, consisting of 250 pairs. Not on sale before Saturday.

25c Men's Wool Hose 20c.
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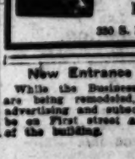

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WASHINGTON.

MONEY FOR POSTOFFICES.

Secretary Shaw Reports on Small Appropriations.

Fund for Los Angeles Site May be Increased.

High Record in Exports. Bids for Pine Timber.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary of the Treasury Shaw today sent to Congress a statement of all cases where the government has been unable to get building sites for Federal buildings within the limit of the appropriations made by Congress. Among the cases is that of Los Angeles, where an appropriation of $175,000 is too small by some $19,000 to get the additional land needed for a new postoffice.

Secretary Shaw makes no direct recommendation regarding Los Angeles, but he states it as his opinion that about $300,000 will be needed in all to get the necessary land there. It is expected that bills will be introduced in the House and Senate immediately to increase the limit of cost in Los Angeles to $300,000, or making an additional appropriation of $25,000 over the original appropriation.

NO HARBOR BILL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The House Committee on Rivers and Harbors today decided that there should be no river and harbor appropriation at the present session of Congress, although a few surveys may be authorized.

In explanation of the postponement of a bill until next session, Chairman Burton made the following statement:

"The reason for this action was the very large balance of the appropriation for river and harbor improvements which is now lying in the treasury unused. This balance at the end of last year was somewhat in excess of $35,000,000. In addition to this it is expected that $5,000,000 or thereabouts will be appropriated at this session in the Sundry Civil Bill for the continuance of work on rivers and harbors, where improvements are progressing under continuing contracts.

"A considerable number of complaints have been lodged with members of the committee because of slowness in prosecuting improvements. In some cases, appropriations were made several years ago, but nothing yet has been done. In others provided for in the bill of June, 1902, the work is scarcely commenced. Inadequate number of government engineers engaged in this branch of the service, the delay and difficulty in preparing plans and securing sites for government work and the high prices which have prevailed for several years past are all, in different degrees, responsible for this delay.

"It is expected that the committee will present a bill at a very early date in the next session, certainly not later than when Congress reconvenes after the holiday recess. In the meantime, some legislation will be recommended by the committee for the necessary maintenance of existing public works; for such general legislation as may be desired, and perhaps also for the examination and survey of new projects.

"The committee decided to continue hearings during this session, and also to meet frequently fo rthe consideration of river and harbor legislation and the demnads of such localities as are requesting improvements. The necessity for giving undivided attention to the framing of the bill will prevent hearings at the next session."

UNCLE SAM'S EXPORTS.

HIGH-RECORD MARKS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The calendar year 1903 and the month of December, 1903, showed respectively the highest records for annual and monthly exports from the United States. The year's export figures, as presented by the Department of Commerce and Labor through its Bureau of Statistics, were $1,484,668,127, and those of the month of December, $171,784,368.

The highest preceding record for any calendar year was that of 1900, when the total exports were $1,477,946,113; and the highest preceding record for a single month was that of October, 1900, when the total was $163,389,680. It was not until October, 1891, that the exports for any month reached as much as $100,000,000, and it was not until 1896 that the exports of any calendar year reached as much as $1,000,000,000. During the four months, October, November and December, 1891, and January, 1892, the exports were, for the first time, above the $100,000,000 line, but in February, 1892, they dropped again below that line, and so continued until near the close of 1896, when October, November and December again passed respectively the $100,000,000 line. From that time forward the monthly exports in excess of $100,000,000 were frequent, and from August, 1899, and to the present time they never have fallen below $100,000,000 except in the midsummer months of June, July and August of 1902 and 1903, respectively.

The annual exportations nearly touched $1,000,000,000 in 1891 and 1892, being in 1891 $970,000,000 and in 1892 $923,000,000, but they dropped to $876,000,000 in 1893; $835,000,000 in 1894, and $824,000,000 in 1895, barely crossing the billion-dollar line in 1896, but moving steadily and rapidly forward since that date.

Comparing conditions in 1903 with those of comparatively recent years, it may be said that the total exports in 1903 exceeded those of 1891 by 53 per cent. and those of 1896 by 80 per cent. Extending the retrospect still farther back, it may be said that the exports of 1903 were, in round numbers, double those of 1883; two and one-half times those of 1878, and four times those of 1869.

GORMAN'S RESOLUTION.

ASKS ABOUT PANAMA AFFAIR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The Senate today adopted the resolution of inquiry concerning affairs in Panama, which resolution was introduced on the 5th inst. by Mr. Gorman. Following is the text of the resolution:

"Resolved, That the President be requested, if not, in his judgment, incompatible with public interest, to inform the Senate:

"First—The date and the circumstances under which the United States for the first time, and each succeeding time, caused a military force to intervene in the internal affairs of New Granada or Colombia, under the treaty of 1846; whether such use of military force was on the initiative of the United States or by the request of New Granada or Colombia, or in consequence of any official representation of either; and also to transmit to the Senate copies of the letters or notes in the Department of State and of the orders by the Navy Department relating to such use of military force.

"Second—Also to inform the Senate whether or not the United States has been asked by New Granada or Colombia, or any official representative of either, to execute, by armed force, either the guaranty of the neutrality of the isthmus or of the sovereignty of New Granada or Colombia over the same; and if the United States has been so asked, then the dates and circumstances thereof; and to send to the Senate copies of the letters or notes in each case conveying the application and what was done thereunder by the United States.

"Third—And also to inform the Senate in which, if any, of the disturbances on the [isthmus of Panama re]ferred to by the President in his last annual message, the United States used a military force solely on his own initiative, and uninvited by the government owning the isthmus, and also to inform the Senate of the circumstances in each case which required such use of military force, and transmit copies of the orders issued by the Navy Department for such purpose.

"Fourth—And also that he will inform the Senate of the dates when and circumstances under which the United States has employed military force in the internal affairs of New Granada or Colombia on account of any revolution or rebellion or disturbance of people therein."

THE CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—SENATE—After the disposal of the routine business of the Senate, Mr. Tillman was recognized to speak on his resolution relating to Senate recesses. His remarks dealt with the pending nomination of Dr. Crum to be collector at Charleston, S. C. Mr. Tillman disclaimed any intention to consider this as a party question, but asserted that his desire was to prevent the establishment of a harmful precedent and to find out what the Senate thought of a "constructive recess." He said it had remained for our present Executive to assert the right and exercise the power of making appointments between 12 and 12:30 o'clock of the same day.

MR. HALE'S EXCEPTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Mr. Hale took exception to the statement that the President had committed himself to the proposition as set forth. He had never doubted that the Comptroller would make short work of claims for salaries under such appointments. As for himself, he did not accept the theory of a constructive recess, and he did not believe other Senators so held.

Mr. Tillman quoted a letter from Secretary Shaw concerning the appointment of Collector Crum, taking the position that there had been a constructive recess between the time of the adjournment of the late extra session of Congress and the beginning of the present regular session. This, Mr. Tillman contended, was in violation of the Constitution, and he also contended that there was no common sense in the plea that there was any interregnum between the extra session and the regular session when one was immediately adjourned to prepare for the other.

Mr. Tillman quoted a number of precedents in support of his position, citing utterances of Charles Sumner and John Sherman, both of whom the Senator lauded. Mr. Spooner rose.

"I do not suppose," said Mr. Tillman, "that the Senator from Wisconsin objects to my eulogizing members of his party?"

"No," replied Mr. Spooner, "but I cannot understand why he should wait until they are dead."

Mr. Hale said that the Crum nomination and that of Gen. Wood and others were not sent in as recess, but as regular nominations.

"I deny it on the authority of Secretary Shaw," replied Mr. Tillman.

Without disposing of the Tillman resolution, the Senate at 2 o'clock resumed consideration of the Gorman Panama resolution, and Mr. Dolliver addressed the Senate. He said that since our intervention in the Cuban war, the canal question had increased vastly in importance, and he predicted that some of the Democratic Senators who were opposing the canal treaty would find it to be a "burning question." He deprecated criticism of the President in connection with the Panama revolt, referring to him as a "God-fearing, patriotic man."

As a precedent for the President's recognition of Panama, Mr. Dolliver showed that President Pierce had recognized five revolutionary governments within four months.

Mr. Patterson of Colorado interrupted to state that these recognitions were in accordance with international law; that it was a recognition of de facto governments and in no case one of secession.

"Will the Senator say why twenty nations of Europe have recognized Panama?" queried Mr. Dolliver.

"Because the United States set the pace," replied Mr. Patterson, "they recognized that the United States had created that government, and, wishing to continue in the good favor of this country they followed its lead."

"Does international law in Europe consist of following the blunders and crimes committed in the United States," retorted Mr. Dolliver.

Continuing, Mr. Dolliver declared vehemently that the Panama revolution had been going on for twenty years.

"Talk to me," said Mr. Dolliver, "about the United States interfering to aid the insurrection in Panama; the United States could not have stopped the insurrection if it had desired to do so."

Mr. Dolliver declared that all that had been done by the United States in Panama was done in obedience to the requirements of our treaties. "I accept the Secretary of State as my authority on this question," he said, "for much as I may respect the opinion of Senators, I would accept John Hay's opinion on such a subject in preference to the opinions of any of them. Therefore, I do not apologize for any of the orders given or the acts done in Panama.

"I have reached," he concluded, "the point in my patriotism where I propose to stand by my own government and let other governments take care of themselves."

Mr. Teller declared that the contention of Mr. Dolliver that the treaty of 1846 was a canal treaty and gave the United States any sovereignty in the canal strip was in conflict with the authorities of all time.

Mr. Newlands then quoted the challenge made by Mr. Spooner, a few days ago, to put his (Newlands's) views in the form of a resolution, and presented a resolution setting forth the condition of affairs on the Isthmus of Panama and declaring our interventions to be unjustified under the treaty of 1846, under international law and under the Constitution of the United States. The resolution also declares that the instructions sent by this government to United States officers in Panamaian waters and other acts on the part of this government constitute a declaration and prosecution of war; and finally authorizes the President to enter into a new treaty with Colombia for the cession of al rights to the isthmus of Panama to the United States.

Mr. Newlands said that the suggestion for a solution of the isthmian problem was his own. The resolution was laid on the table, subject to his call.

Mr. Gorman then asked for a vote on his resolution, on which all the recen speeches on the Panama question have been delivered. After some change in the phraseology, it was adopted without division.

The Senate, at 4:39 o'clock went into executive session, and at 4:39 o'clock p.m., adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—HOUSE—When the House convened today, a resolution submitted by Mr. Hull of Iowa from the Committee on Military Affairs, requesting the Secretary of War to furnish the House with a statement showing the number of horses, carriages and automobiles maintained at government expense for officials of his department, also the amount of wages paid coachmen, footmen and chauffeurs, was passed.

This being pension day, the House went into committee of the whole for the consideration of pension bills.

PENSION BILLS PASS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—At 3:15 p m., the committee returned, having favorably acted on 207 pension bills, which were subsequently passed by the House, fifty of them being Senate measures.

A resolution submitted by Mr. Jenkins of Wisconsin from the Committee on Judiciary, calling on the Attorney-General for information as to the number of carriages maintained at the expense of the government for use of the officials of the Department of Justice was passed.

A bill to allow the free entry of any articles not specifically imported by incorporated institutions established for religious, philosophical, educational, scientific or literary purposes, or by any State or municipal corporation, when imported for exhibition at the St. Louis Exposition and then dedicated to such institutions was passed.

At 3:50 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned until tomorrow.

MACHEN'S BIG INCOME.

CONRAD WITHDRAWS EVIDENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Continuing today, the opposition to the admission of the transcript of the Union National Bank of Westminster, Md., Mr. Maddox, representing the Groffs, stated at the opening of the postal trial that there was little to add to what had been said against the astounding assertion of Mr. Conrad, that Machen had an income of $20,000 a year, who, he contended, had taken advantage of his position and had been forgetful of the proprieties of office. He declared that the transcript should not be admitted. Mr. Kumler, on behalf of the Lorenzes, made a similar statement.

In deciding the question, Justice Pritchard said he would admit the transcript, subject to the limitation that only where it was shown to relate to Mr. Machen in the transactions between him and the other defendants.

Mr. Conrad stated that he would not convict the defendants on any statement that fell unguarded from him, and he said that, to remove from the minds of counsel the faintest suspicion, he would move to withdraw it, which motion the court agreed to.

Emanuel Speich, in charge of accounts in the rural free-delivery division, testified to having received from Machen a check for $550, signed by Martha B. Lorens, and $120 in cash, with which he purchased a New York draft for $670 in favor of Machen. He did this, he said, as an accommodation to Machen, as Machen had no local account. He added that there was nothing secretive about the transaction, and nothing that excited his suspicion.

Justice Pritchard discharged the rule issued yesterday against Postoffice Inspectors Mayer and Gregory, charged by the defense with coaching witnesses, being satisfied with their answers as contained in affidavits presented by them. An adjournment until Monday was taken.

BIDS FOR PINE TIMBER.

AWARDS BY THE SECRETARY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The Secretary of the Interior has awarded bids for 95 per cent. of the merchantable pine timber on the 89,707 acres included in the first section of the Minnesota forest reserve. The aggregate of the bids is $1,218,132, and the timber, which is located on 215 sections, consists of 192,786,000 feet, of which 121,441,000 feet is Norway pine and the remainder white pine.

HELD UP THE JUDICIARY.

MAJ. M'CAWLEY CENSURED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—An incident occurred at the President's reception last night which today caused some comment in Washington official circles. The reception was to the Judiciary, and in accordance with the custom, the line passing the President and Mrs. Roosevelt and the receiving party was headed by the Chief Justice and Mrs. Fuller. They were immediately followed by Associate Justice and Mrs. Harlan. Maj. Charles McCawley of the Marine Corps, one of the aides at the White House social functions, stopped the line in order that some members of the diplomatic corps who were in the Red Room might be presented to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, his idea being that they should greet the President and members of the receiving party first.

His action caused some annoyance, and Justice Harlan frankly remonstrated with him, insisting on the right of the members of the Supreme Court, in accordance with custom, to head the line. Friends of the members of the court maintained that as the reception was to the Judiciary they should precede all others in the line.

The President knew nothing about the incident.

MRS. ROOSEVELT'S MUSICALE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The third of the series of evening musicales given this season by Mrs. Roosevelt took place at the White House tonight, before a large and distinguished audience. The programme included piano and vocal solos, those participating including Henry Holdenhus, composer and pianist; Miss Hoffman, soprano, and Glenn Hall, tenor. Preceding the musicale, the President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained at dinner some twenty-eight persons.

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

Pure Food Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The Pure Food Bill, as it passed the House, provided that it should take effect September 1, 1904, instead of February 1, 1904, as was erroneously stated.

Against Misbranded Salmon.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Senator Fulton, from the Committee on Fisheries, today reported favorably the bill making it a misdemeanor to export misbranded salmon, or to ship them from one State to another.

Kahn-Livernash Contest.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Chairman Mann of Elections Committee No. 1, today appointed Representatives Gaines of West Virginia, Powers of Maine and Powers of Mississippi a sub-committee to consider the Kahn-Livernash contest, involving the seat from one of the San Francisco districts.

Senator Hanna Better.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Senator Hanna, who has had another attack of grip, was reported much better today.

Printing Office Vacations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Senator Platt of New York, from the Committee on Printing, today reported favorably the bill regulating leaves of absence of employes of the Government Printing Office. The bill gives the employes who receive annual salaries leaves of thirty days each, exclusive of Sundays, thus putting them on the same footing as employes of other departments of the government. A letter was read from the Public Printer saying that the additional cost to the government would be about $50,000 a year.

Two Cabinet Sessions.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Morning and afternoon sessions of the Cabinet were held today. In the absence of Secretaries Hay and Moody, no matters concerning the State or Navy Departments were considered. It can be said on authority that no action of serious importance was taken. It is likely, during the session of Congress, that the President, on account of pressing engagements in the early part of the day, frequently will have the Cabinet meeting in the afternoon.

Nominees Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The Senate today, in executive session, confirmed the following nominations: Fleming D. Cheshire, New York, Consul-General at Mukden, China; Edwin V. Morgan, New York, Consul at Dalny, China; James W. Davidson, Minnesota, Consul at Antung, China.

Postmaster at Wilmington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Harry E. Gannaway was today appointed postmaster at Wilmington, Los Angeles county.

Buchanan to Return.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The State Department confirms the report that Mr. Buchanan, the American Minister to Panama, is about to return to the United States, starting in a few days from Colon. Important private business is assigned as a reason for the Minister to return to the United States.

FATAL NEW YORK FIRE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Fire in the upper floors of the six-story factory of the E. W. Bliss Company in Plymouth street today did $200,000 damage. The company manufactures dies and presses for metal stamping and castings and other parts of Whitehead torpedoes for the United States navy. One fireman lost his life by falling from a ladder.

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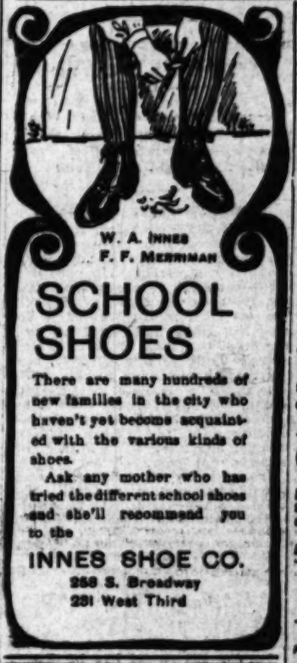

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PILGRIMS TO LEASE CABLE.

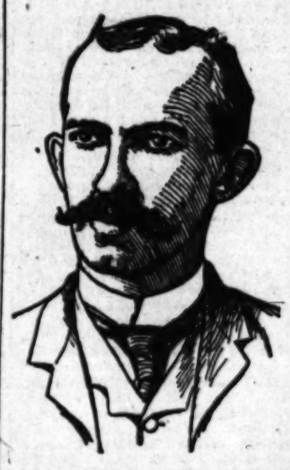
Innovation at Dinner in New York, When Messages of Goodwill Will be Sent to London.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Plans have been made by the Pilgrim Society to put into practical effect the principle of the club. This will occur during a dinner January 29, in honor of Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the British Ambassador, when for the first time in the history of any dinner in this city a trans-Atlantic cable will be leased for one hour and while the New York Pilgrims will have charge of this end, the organization in London, at which Earl Roberts is to be the guest of honor, will have charge of the other. The guests at the two dinners will exchange messages of good will and sentiments to the King, which prompted the formation of the club here and in London.

Many leading Americans will attend the dinner, but plans to entertain the President and the Cabinet are apt to fall through because the date conflicts with the reception in Washington to Gov. Taft.

GALL STONES DRIVEN OUT.
Dr. Lovell Cobb, President of Duval College, Atlanta, Ga., Suffered Agony for More Than Three Years With Gall Stones, Tried Many Remedies in Vain, Thought Nothing Could Help Him, but was Finally
Cured by Warner's Safe Cure



Dr. Lovell Cobb, widely known throughout the South as a successful author and president of Duval College, Atlanta, Ga., owes his life to Safe Cure. In a recent letter he says:

"I suffered for three years with gall stones and thought nothing could help me, for I had tried many different remedies without avail, but fortunately for me one of my friends called my attention to Warner's Safe Cure and I at once got a bottle as I was anxious to know what it would do for me. It acted like a charm; every dose helped me, and in four months I was cured and have had no recurrence of the trouble since. It has made a new man of me, and I gladly give credit where it is due—to Safe Cure."

Gall stones, or gravel, are the result of uric acid poisoning caused by diseased kidneys and a torpid liver. As the gall stones increase in size, prolonged fits of sickness, attended with great agony, afflict the sufferer.

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BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM THE WORLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A dispatch from Sues announces tonight that the Russian squadron, which entered the canal eight days ago, sailed from there for the Far East. The squadron consists of the battleships Dimitri Donskoi, cruiser Aurora, and six torpedo-boat destroyers. They had been detained at Sues by the breaking-down of the seventh destroyer. It has been impossible to repair her for a long cruise, and she will remain at Sues. There is small chance, in the event of war, that the squadron which left Sues today can capture the two Japanese cruisers, Niasaki and Kasaga, as the Japanese warships have several days start, and can make better speed.

KEEPS DAUGHTER CHAINED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Materna, the seventeen-year-old daughter of a rich citizen, Svinia, is kept chained in an open corridor on a bed of dirty straw, in her home at Verchneuralsk. She became temporarily deranged recently through fright, and her father chained her up. He now refuses to release her, though she is fully recovered. Crowds daily visit the house as though it were a menagerie.

DIED FROM CULTURES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The chief at the laboratory of the Imperial Institute, who has been conducting experiments to discover a cure for bubonic plague, died today of the disease. He was taken ill after having been inoculated with living plague cultures.

KAISER'S SISTER'S ILLNESS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Recent reports that Princess Charlotte of Saxe Meiningen, the Kaiser's eldest sister, is suffering from cancer, have been confirmed, and the Princess will leave Bremerhaven tomorrow on a cruise to Madeira, the Canaries and the Moroccan coast. Her husband, Prince Bernard of Saxe Meiningen, will accompany her. The Princess's physicians hopes the change to a milder climate will postpone the developments of worse symptoms of the dread affliction.

SULLY, GATES AND HAWLEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Daniel J. Sully is now a member of one of the most powerful pools in the stock market. John W. Gates is at the head of it, and another member is Edwin Hawley. This pool operates from the office of Harris, Gates & Co. Yesterday, they took over 100,000 shares, while today they more than doubled those figures.

RUSSIA AND OUR CONSULS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] No importance is attached in official or diplomatic circles here to the wild statements cabled from the Far East, on the alleged authority of Russian officials, that Russia would not recognise the terms of the treaty between the United States and China with reference to the appointment of American consuls in Manchuria.

COLLEGES APPLY TO CARNEGIE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOPEKA, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Washburn College, the Congregational Institution of Topeka, and four other Western colleges have asked Andrew Carnegie for $1,000,000 apiece, and it is said that Carnegie looks with favor on the requests.

THINK EUIWHA IN PERIL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prince Euiwha, who, according to advices from Seoul, is to be placed on the throne of Korea, if the present Emperor is dethroned, is supposed to be on the way to Washington, but officials at the Korean Legation admit that the Prince is coming here, but will not say when he is expected. It is reported the legation officials fear an effort will be made to kidnap him by some of the Korean government agents in this country.

FIRST WOMAN BANK PRESIDENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MONROEVILLE (O.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Anna M. Stents today was elected to succeed her late husband as president of the First National Bank of Monroeville, the first woman bank president known.

CARROLL D. WRIGHT'S PLANS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Commissioner of Labor, Carroll D. Wright said today that he will resign and devote all his time to the Carnegie Institute.

FRENCH AUTOMOBILE COURSE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Race Committee of the Automobile Club of France today selected the course known as the Circuit de l'Argonne, in the French Ardennes district, for eliminating trials for the international automobile races. The start is at the town of Flize, near Sedan. The length of the course will be 130 kilometers.

WHY KEENE RELEASED LYNE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LEXINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Foxhall Keene today explained that he released Jockey Lyne because of disobedience and associating with "high-rollers."

HANDBOOKS AND WIND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Handbook men had a bad time today. No news of races came on the tickers on account of the storm interfering with the wires. They thought the Western Union had purposely cut them off.

NEW CUP CHALLENGER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Edward Wallace, a native of Halifax, N. S., who made millions in mines in New South Wales and who is visiting here, has announced his intention to challenge for the America's cup.

YALE'S PROFESSIONAL COACHES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Yale has decided to have no more professional coaches.

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ION ALLY OF CAPITAL.

Hanna on Industrial Situation.

Has No Place in Scheme, He Says.

Strays from His Text. Mine Workers' Wants.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TON, Jan. 22.—Senator Hanna to the February number National Magazine of this city on "Socialism and the Labor

expressing his belief in the of education over the American and declaring that the basis of ness is fairness and justice, Hanna writes:

is no more engrossing ques- than that of the relation between and capital, which seems the issue today. The instinct men to band together to themselves is no more to be d at than the same instinct ect of capital. Now, my plan have organized union labor ed in the best sense and ly educated to an under- of its responsibilities, and in to make it the ally of the rather than a foe with struggle.

often asked what is to be- of the non-organized consumer ible alliance is made be- bor and capital. But every ngs to the one or the other e that matter, he is likely to both.

some time to consider the e Civic Federation, and am ed that it is the object I desire to consecrate the y of my life. I fully that it is a long struggle, ogress already made under of the Civi Federation—the has surpassed even my expectations, and I am the American people will ency based upon the high- and social impulse which the passionate preju- now exist between capital

some of the objects of deration, Senator Hanna

within a comparatively few capitalists or the employ- have had the advantage, were more workmen than ent. But conditions have and for every workman. on, there are two jobs now in of our prosperity, and it is to men of human nature that workingmen shall not a large share of the profits. to have been the stimu- of the men who are affairs? No one who with union labor for the can fail to recognise advancement that has a conservative, cool-head- thoughly practical manage- me matters by the workmen

organizations may be open criticism at times, but it can- stated that they are al- If every man is treat- man, and an appeal made rt as well as to his rea- establish a bond of confi- a pure foundation to build labor unions may have rse to England, I believe will prove a boon to our when a proper basis of and respect is established. ense of today, as I view it, d of a spirit of socialism, things which is only half- and is more or less used to popular mind against all initiative and personal en- has been the very essence progress. There is a operation or community of which some people may con- Socialism, that is making with us, but when anyone at- political or financial rea- ate the whole programme Socialism, he will find lit- of the seeds taking root sell. This, I think, was very conclusively in the where higher Socialism forth as an issue.

and prejudice will never confiscation of the prod- man's toil in order to in- to the idle and worthless. wanted by the American will take from any citi- and equitable reward of both capital and labor must to the great law of fair to man. I wish I could every American the in- sibility that rests upon ry year of experi- dollar' of accumulated talent we possess should a sacred charge for

LAKE

O-OPERATES.

Club Sends a Com- Washington for San Pedro.

WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LAKE (Utah) Jan. 22. Dispatch.] The Club at a meeting voted to cooperate with to secure a deep- harbor at San Pedro, and ing resolutions to that Senators Kearns and Representative Howell, Engineer Doremus, and F. Holmes, president of mercial Club, were ap- a committee to work ington for the largest ation possible for the ment work on the Coast. chief argument was that harbor would help Salt ty, as the work would ted about the same the San Pedro Rail- committee is on the Washington.

the good of the nation, to help in uniting the interests of rich and poor, learned and unlearned."

RAISE THE "COLOR LINE."

MINE WORKERS MAKE REQUEST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 22.—At today's session of the United Mine Workers of America, a memorial addressed to the American Federation of Labor, requesting it to require legislation in all trades unions raising the "color line" was adopted. A resolution was also adopted releasing locals from obligations to meet the taxation imposed by local central trades unions for support of general business agents which cannot act for the miners.

Locked-out Men Return to Work.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—More than 1500 men in the building trades at Paterson, N. J., who have been locked out for a month, have returned to work. The differences with the employers will be settled by arbitration.

BRYAN DEPARTS FROM HIS TEXT.

TAKES UP LABOR UNION'S CAUSE AT HOLLAND DINNER.

Hot Shot from Former Assistant Attorney-General Beck, Who Delivers Himself of a Truth or Two. Makes Nebraskan Squirm.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—An attack on labor unions made by former Assistant Attorney-General James M. Beck of Philadelphia was the cause for the remarks made by W. J. Bryan in departing from the text of his speech at the Holland Society dinner, just held here. Bryan declared there is greater danger from "corporations which defy the law," than from labor unions.

Beck, in the course of his speech, said: "If I do not misread history, the prosperity of Dutch people was founded upon a principle which is vitally essential to the progress and happiness of any people, and that is the inalienable right of every man to work for whom he pleases and at what wage he pleases, and to enjoy freely the fruits of his toil. This principle is in some need of vindication in this country and at this hour. Man was brought into the world to work. It is not only his burden; it is right, and any form of society which contravenes this right is infinitely mischievous.

"In vain are written constitutions with their paper guarantee of life, liberty and pursuit of happiness if the right of the humblest citizen to earn his bread in the sweat of his brow is thus denied. Such right is in no respect consistent with the right of labor to organize.

"The tyranny of the boycott in its attempt to club the free labor of our land into slavish submission to a labor oligarchy has been strongly illustrated within a few months in the city of Chicago, where its people were not even given permission to bury their dead.

"Today we are told on eminent authority that a struggle is on between 'the plain people and organized wealth.' I venture to assert that this line of cleavage between the classes is as mischievous as it is lacking in justification. No greater injury can be done to the progress of the American people than to throw the firebrand of class hatred into their midst."

MANAGER JOUR'S CHARGE.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banker Tells Why Mexican Dollars Were Imported into Philippines.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MANILA, Jan. 22.—[By Pacific Cable.] Manager Jours of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, during the public discussion now going on, prior to the passage of the supplemental currency act, declared that the banks had a letter from Gen. Merritt, upon the strength of which the importation of Mexican dollars was resumed after twenty years' prohibition.

The importation of this coin was not voluntary, he said, upon the part of the banks, but was forced upon them by the military authorities practically at the point of the bayonet. American soldiers entered the banks, demanding local currency for gold, some even going to the length of enforcing their demands at the muzzle of a revolver. There were 23,000 troops handed within three months, to pay whom the quartermaster and paymaster drew letters of credit for half a million sterling, which, Jours, on his part, found himself unable to convert into coin. Consequently he closed the bank. Gen. Green then issued an order that unless the bank opened and changed these drafts into money for the troops he would place Jours under guard, and threatened to lock him up. The discussion will be continued.

TWO BIG EQUAL FIRE LOSSES.

Flames in Chicago and Bay Mills, Mich., Each do Three Hundred Thousand Dollars' Damage.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—The plant of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, No. 422 Wabash avenue, was destroyed by fire tonight and from this building the flames were communicated to the seven-story factory and apartment building of the Bucklen Medical Company, just east of the building of the glass company. A number of families who lived in the Bucklin building were compelled to make hasty exits, but all escaped unharmed. The loss is $300,000.

MICHIGAN FIRE HOT ONE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAULTE STE MARIE (Mich.) Jan. 22.—Fire started in one of the Hall & Munson factories at Bay Mills, twelve miles west of here, tonight, and destroyed a large sawmill, wood-working plant and box factory and a large stock of lumber. The total value of the plant, which employed 300 men, was $300,000.

CHARITIES A PRECEDENT.

Don Isidoro Schwartz, American Who Became Millionaire in Guatemala, Leaves Money to Institutions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The widow of Don Isidoro Schwartz, an American citizen and at one time a resident of California, who recently died in Guatemala a millionaire, has given instructions to her banker, Don Adolfo Stahl, to distribute $30,000 among Guatemala charitable institutions as follows: General Hospital, $10,000; insane asylum, $1000; La Piedad Asylum, $1000; hospicio, $3000; Casa Central, $1000; Asylum for the Aged, $1000; orphanage, $380; Santa Maria Asylum, $1000.

This is the first time in history that an American has made public institutions of Guatemala beneficiaries of his or her fortune.

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A Choice from Our Entire Stock—Any Garment up to $25.....

Handsome outer garments for women—jackets and coats, of silk, velvet, broadcloth, zibeline and all the finer materials, a large range of styles to select from; some close-fitting garments, others with loose backs, some with large cape collars, various lengths, many lined with silk throughout, various modes of trimming. An unrestricted choice from our entire stock of coats and jackets priced up to $25.00, today only, each $15.00.

Misses' $8.98 Jackets, Ages 7 to 12 Years, $5.

Misses' jackets made from kerseys and fancy mixed materials with fancy braids and buttons. Sizes for girls from 7 to 12 years. Best of colors. Large cape collars, long stoles prettily trimmed Values up to $8.98. Today, each, $5.00.

$7.48 Cloth Skirts $4.98

Women's dress skirts, cheviots, broadcloths, granite cloths and Venetians; some with sateen drop skirts, others unlined; many pretty ideas in trimmings. An excellent assortment representing values up to $7.48. Today, each, $4.98.

$18.50 Silk Skirts $9.98

Women's black silk skirts, peau de soies and taffetas; some have drop skirts, others unlined. Handsomely trimmed with silk fringe and straps. All good styles. Values up to $18.50. Today, each, $9.98.

$2.75 Wool Shirt Waists $1.98.

Small lot of fine all wool cashmere shirt waists in black and red, fine accordeon pleated front with yoke effect, full sleeves and tab collar, these are finished with pearl buttons, excellent value at $2.75; today, each $1.98.

$1.98 Flannelette Wrappers $1.25

Women's flannelette wrappers in pretty Persian designs cut extra full and long, deep flounce with wide hem, good colors, fair range of sizes, values up to $1.98; today, each, $1.25.

$6.98 Silk Petticoats $4.98

Silk petticoats, mostly black, a few in red and green, changeable colors, some of plain gray, made from extra quality taffeta silk, several styles to choose from, values up to $6.98; today, each, $4.98.

Children's plaid dresses, yoke of plain cashmere trimmed with soutache braid, full skirt and deep hem; these dresses are lined throughout; plenty of sizes worth $1.25, today each 98c

Women's flannelette skirts in plain white, deep flounce, edged with silk embroidered ruffle cut extra wide, well finished garments, just right for cold weather; worth $1.25, today each 89c

A choice assortment of muslin and cambric petticoats, handsomely trimmed, with valenciennes insertions and edges, excellent styles splendidly made, splendid values up to $1.98, today, each.... $1.48

Fancy Hosiery That Sells Regularly, 25c 12½c

Women's and children's fancy hosiery, large assortment of styles, good colors, both quiet and striking color combinations, all sizes, excellent 25c values, today per pair, 12½c.

Women's and children's fast black hose—good quality plain or lace striped hose for women and ribbed hose for misses and children's qualities well worth 12½c and 15c, today per pair 7½c

25c Women's Hose 17½c

Women's wool hose in natural or Oxford gray plain or ribbed; also black cotton hose with cashmere foot; all excellent 25c values; today, per pair 17½c.

Women's medium weight lisle finish ribbed cotton hose, fast black, full fashioned; worth 25c, today per pair 15c

50c Childs' Hose 25c

Children's wool ribbed hose, fine quality, medium weight, guaranteed fast black; all sizes; well worth 50c; a limited quantity only on sale today, per pair 25c.

The Broadway school hose for boys or girls: double knee, double heel and toe; guaranteed fast black; the best wearing stocking on the market; sizes 6 to 10. Our price per pair 12½c

Handsome Trimmed Hats Original Prices Up to ... $14.98

Today $5.00

A handsome collection of trimmed hats in the most stylish and popular shapes, including poke bonnets, box and torpedo turbans, gainsboroughs and flat shapes, made from silk chenille braids, imported felts and velvets, maline and chiffon in the most wanted colors, profusely trimmed with fine silk ribbon, velvet, flowers and plumage, set off with rich ornaments; original prices as high as $14.98; choose from this entire assortment today at each $5.00.

Child's $2.98 Poke Bonnets $1.98.

Children's poke bonnets in pretty shades of blue and pink, felt shapes made over frames, faced with maline and chiffon, ties and bows of silk ribbon; values up to $2.98. Today, each $1.98.

Continuation of Our Greatest Shoe Sale

MORE THAN FOUR SOLID CARLOADS OF SEASONABLE FOOTWEAR.

SOME LINES AT HALF PRICE SOME AT LESS THAN HALF.

Manufacturers' Samples Mens' Five Dollar Shoes Sizes 6 to 7½ Only..... $2.98

A lot of Manufacturers' samples of men's high grade shoes in all the popular leathers, most stylish shape, all made with hand welted extension soles, either single or double weight, shoes for all occasions, sizes 6, 6½, 7, and 7½ only. Extra good values at $5.00. Sale price per pair $2.98.

Mens' $2.00 Shoes $1.00

Men's shoes made of plump kid with medium weight extension soles, roomy comfortable lasts, good range of sizes, $2.00 values, sale price per pair $1.00.

Men's shoes, made from good grade satin calf or plump goatskin, solid half double soles, stylish lasts; a variety of styles to choose from; $2.00 values; sale price, per pair..... $1.25

Men's shoes made from good grade vici kid: half double extension soles, new medium swing lasts, $3.00 values, sale price per pair..... $2.00

Men's shoes made from bright patent kid or patent leather hand welted extension soles, lasts of the newest models, snappy styles, $3.50 values; sale price, per pair..... $2.50

Boys' shoes made from good strong satin calf with double soles and double tip; sizes 13 to 5½; good strong shoes for everyday wear; $1.50 values, sale price, pr.. $1.00

Women's $2.00 Shoes $1.00.

Women's shoes made of soft fine kid others of patent leather, medium weight, pliable soles, medium heel, neat comfortable lasts, $1.50 and $2.00 values, sale price per pair $1.00.

Women's $2.50 Shoes $1.50.

Womens' shoes made of fine vici kid leather, light or heavy soles, stylish lasts, good range of sizes, $2.50 values, sale price per pair $1.50.

Women's Oxfords and Slippers Excellent Styles, Values up to $3.50 $1.00

Short lines and factory ends of women's high grade oxfords and slippers, newest and most desirable styles, some of patent leather, others of bright patent kid, still others of fine glace kid, many with French heels; all of these have genuine hand turned soles, all sizes in the lot, values up to $3.50, sale price per pair $1.00.

Women's oxford made of fine soft kid—genuine hand turned soles, either Cuban or concave heels, $2.00 values, sale price per pair..... $1.50

Womens' patent leather shoes Blucher cut extension sole military heel neat and stylish $2.00 values, sale price per pair..... $1.25

Women's sandals made from fine soft kid, one strap buckling over instep ornamented with satin bows, hand turned soles, $1.50 values, sale price per pair $1.00

Womens' shoes made of box calf some extra high cut half double extension soles $2.00 values, sale price per pair..... $1.48

Men's Pajamas Values up to $5 $1.98

Men's high grade pajamas, an immense lot representing the entire made up stock of a noted eastern manufacturer; all high grade goods made from mercerized madras cloths of good heavy weights suitable for the present season, all splendidly finished and excellent colors, best patterns, all sizes, values up to $5.00 today per suit $1.98.

Flannel Night Robes 98c

Worth Up to $1.50

Men's night robes made of good quality outing flannel, medium or heavy weight, some finished with collars, others military style, good full cut, all sizes, $1.25 and $1.50 values today each 98c.

Men's Work Shirts 25c

Working shirts for men made from heavy drilling, black and white stripes, full cut and strongly made, all sizes, a special offering today each 25c.

Men's winser weight fleece lined shirts and drawers, good serviceable colors, well finished, all sizes, 25c 35c values today per garment 25c

Men's heavy wool ribbed shirts and drawers, also fancy cotton ribbed underwear, short lines of our best selling numbers, original prices as high as $1.50, today per garment..... 75c

Men's fancy hose lisle finish, full fashioned; some black hose with lace stripes in the lot; extra 25c values today per pair..... 15c

Men's suspenders, good quality elastic web with leather faced mohair ends, cast off buckles, 20c values today per pair..... 12½c

Basement Bargains

Rapid gas toasters or broilers, can be used on gas, gasoline or oil stoves; sale price each..... 10c

Shelf paper with lace edge, all colors, ten yard strips, regular price 4c; today each..... 2½c

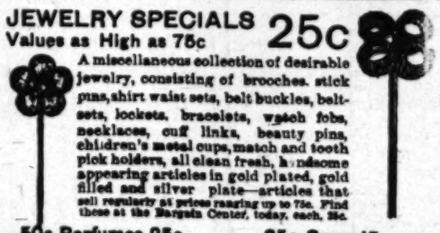
Waste paper baskets made of willow, fair size, good shape; worth 35c; today ea. 25c

Folding iron boards, strong and well finished; these sell regularly at $1.25; today, each.. 98c

Toilet paper, extra large rolls or packges, containing 2000 sheets; regular price 15c, today each 10c

Iron mail boxes; good strong ones, well finished, today, each..... 48c

JEWELRY SPECIALS Values as High as 75c 25c



A miscellaneous collection of desirable jewelry, consisting of brooches, stick pins, shirt waist sets, belt buckles, belt sets, lockets, bracelets, watch fobs, necklaces, cuff links, beauty pins, children's metal cups, match and tooth pick holders, all clean fresh, handsome appearing articles in gold plated, gold filled and silver plate—articles that sell regularly at prices ranging up to 75c. Find these at the Bargain Center, today, each, 25c.

50c Perfumes 25c

Eastman's high grade perfumes in all the most popular odors; regular price 50c; today, per oz. 25c.

25c Soap 15c

Colgate's dactylis toilet soap, highly perfumed, large sized cake; regular price 25c; today, per cake 15c.

25c Collar Frames 15c.

Chiffon collar frames, satin trimmed, both band and pointed shapes, in black, white, red, brown and light or dark blue; better than you usually get at 25c; today, each, 15c.

Fifth Avenue Bows $1.25.

A new creation in neckwear the Fifth Ave. ribbon bow, finished with a formed stock; handsome creation that will undoubtedly be very popular; on sale today, each $1.25.

Oriental turnover collars, pretty patterns worth 25c; today, each 15c

Heavy Venice lace collars, a large variety of designs; qualities that usually sell at 75c; today, each 49c

25c Made Veils 15c each.

Made veils of plain and fancy chiffon with neat borders, some hemstitched, white and and colors, 1½ yds. long; 25c values; today, each, 15c.

Made veils of plain and fancy figured chiffon, in brown, blue, black and white, 1¼ yards long, values up to 50c; today, each..... 35c

50c Sheet Music All the Latest Hits 13c

Saturday we offer a choice from all the latest and most popular sheet music that is published to sell at 50c, for 13c a copy. Not one or two titles as a bait, but an unrestricted choice from anything in our stock, including that popular Irish song Bedelia and the late coon song Up a Cocoanut Tree, as well as Ramona, the B. Louis Rag two step, Navajo two step, Uncle Sammy, Laughing Water, and at least 500 more titles. Our regular price is 25c, but as a special trade winner for Saturday will give you your choice from the most popular numbers at per copy 13c.

"BANKERS' UNION" SHAKY.

Nebraska Supreme Court Orders Temporary Receiver for State Insurance Order.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 22.—Chief Justice Holcomb of the State Supreme Court today granted the request of Deputy State Auditor Pierce for a temporary receiver for the Bankers' Union of the World, an insurance order with headquarters in Omaha, and Sheriff Powers of Omaha was notified.

The Deputy Auditor alleges that the order is insolvent, that all the liabilities have not been reported, that the amount due policy holders, unpaid, is $20,000, and that the assets are only $9437. E. C. Spinney of Omaha is president.

SPINNEY'S STATEMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Jan. 22.—The Bankers' Union of the World, for which the Supreme Court today appointed a temporary receiver, was organized five years ago by Dr. E. C. Spinney, who has been its president since the charter was granted. Judge E. P. Holmes of Lincoln is vice-president; Elmer H. Packard, secretary, and M. T. Swarts, banker. The company has been doing business in twenty-five States and has in force about $20,000,000 of insurance. Its gross receipts for 1903, according to a statement just issued, were $135,334, and the claims paid during the same period amounted to $52,000.

President Spinney statd that the receivership came as an entire surprise to him, although he admitted that there had been some difficulty between the State Auditor's office and the company, as a result, he said, of his declining to pay certain alleged excessive charges for examination.

The officers of the union occupy a large suite of rooms in a downtown office building and employ a large force.

Dr. Spinney says that on January 10 the concern had $12,000 in cash on hand and owned other assets worth $35,000. The allegation that the State Auditor makes, he said—that $20,000 was paid him for salary for 1903—was untrue. He stated that his salary had been $8000; that he had been paid about $7000 commissions, which represented 5 per cent., allowed him but never drawn, on business for three former years, $1000 paid his wife as salary for editing the official paper and $5000 in stock which he had placed in the treasury and which was returned to him by order of the directors.

Sheriff Power, the temporary receiver of the union, took possession of the offices of the concern late this afternoon.

AIMS TO RAISE QUALITY.

New Milk Trust in Chicago Will Guarantee Its Goods Free from Bacteria, at Slight Advance.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Under the name of "The Chicago Dairy Company," Chicago capitalists are forming a corporation designed to control the milk supply of Chicago. Organized under the laws of the State of Maine, the company has an authorized capital of $4,000,000.

Within a few weeks, according to A. F. Hatch, attorney, one of the promoters of the company will proceed to close the options it now holds on the business of milk firms in Chicago. One option is held on the stock of the Richmond-Smith Company, which holds contracts for milk supplied by 2500 farms within a radius of seventy-five miles of Chicago. The contracts run from three to five years and aggregate 12,140 cans a day. Options also have been secured for the purchase of the stock of eighty-four other retailers and distributors. The properties include seven depots in the city and thirteen factories in the country.

The principal purpose of the new company, it is stated, is not to advance prices, but to raise the standard of milk in Chicago. All sold by the company through its distributors will be certified free from bacteria and all deleterious substances. For such milk a flat rate of 7 cents a quart will be made. Attorney Hatch says, an advance of one-half cent in price in some parts of the city.

The Richmond-Smith Company, one of the concerns to be absorbed in the new corporation, now holds contracts, it is said, for nearly two-thirds of the milk supply of Chicago.

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BUSINESS.

In spite of weather conditions most business houses report business larger in volume than for the corresponding period last year.

Chicago's prominent long sent in buying orders at every break, yesterday, in the effort to support the market, but the close was weak, with July at 81⅞ and May at 80½. Enormous blocks of stock, in thousand-share lots, were hurled about the ring at New York, evidencing powerful influences. Under the weight of selling to realize, prices receded and the market closed somewhat unsteady.

THE IMMIGRATION PROBLEM.

A timely address was delivered last month before the New England Society, in New York, by Whitelaw Reid, on the subject of immigration. Mr. Reid showed the startling changes that have taken place, not only in the quantity, but more particularly in the quality of immigration to this country, during the past few years. He showed that for seventeen years there has been a steady decline in immigration from the lands of our ancestors and of their kinsfolk—that is to say from England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Germany, Denmark and Switzerland. During the same period there has been a steady and progressive increase from Italy, Austria-Hungary, Russia, Spain, Portugal, Greece, Belgium, Roumania, etc. And finally, to give an analysis by races rather than mere nationalities, 28 per cent. of the white immigration in 1902 was Italian, 11 per cent. of it was Polish, 9 per cent. was Hebrew and 15 per cent. was Slovak, Croatian Slavonian and Magyar—these races thus making practically two-thirds of the whole immigration.

Mr. Reid also showed that in New York City the actual foreign-born population today is 37 per cent., to say nothing of the far greater number born of foreign parents. This means that much more than half—probably two-thirds—of the population of the largest city in this country are either foreigners, or born of foreign parents. The same is more or less true of all the other large cities of the country, and is getting to be more and more true of the country at large.

In the course of his address, after referring to the fact that we now welcome to these shores not only men who have in them the making of good citizens, but also the ignorant, the depraved, the lawbreaker, and the pauper, the man who proclaimed that government was tyranny, the communist and the anarchist, Mr. Reid made the following pregnant remarks:

"Far less altruistic, gentlemen, was the homely purpose of the plain, unrhetorical founders of the republic themselves. 'To form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquillity, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, we do ordain and establish this Constitution.' Who says we took the only or the wisest course to fulfill this high purpose, to discharge with fidelity this sacred duty, when we flung down the bars to men who knew nothing of liberty, or of justice, or of domestic tranquillity.

"'To secure the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity.' Have we scrupulously remembered that purpose since we took from our fathers this most complicated and delicately balanced government ever set up by the wit of man? It was designed specifically for the wants and it taxed in its conduct the abilities of a race second at least to none in the world, a race trained to free institutions, to the widest individual initiative and to ordered liberty under law ever since Runnymede. We invited almost without discrimination every immigrant just escaped from generations of government by others, and in turn every negro just escaped from generations of slavery to the same power with ourselves in guiding that complicated and delicately balanced machine. We neglected the safeguards of the republic, held essential by the fathers, and threw away one after another almost every requirement they had maintained in the thirteen colonies or elsewhere, for either intelligence or character or thrift among those permitted to have equal voice with us in framing our laws, in levying our taxes and in determining our expenditures and our general policy."

There is no doubt that this is an exceedingly serious question—one which we cannot safely continue to ignore. Leslie's Monthly recently sent a special correspondent to Southern Italy to study the conditions prevailing in sections from which the United States is now drawing most of its immigration. In the magazine for January the correspondent has the first of a series of letters, in which he describes his arrival in a small town in the island of Sicily, and the touching—almost pitiful—anxiety displayed by the people to obtain information about the great republic across the ocean, to which the eyes of most of them are apparently turned, as to a land of promise. These poor people would walk many miles for the sake of hearing from the lips of the American visitor facts about America, which to them seem like stories from fairyland. We may, then, evidently, expect a constantly increasing immigration from this source, unless some restrictions are put upon it. The correspondent says that the Italian government encourages this emigration, because the immigrants, after they are established in the United States, send back home a very large amount of money, which is more than welcome in a poverty-stricken land like Italy, where the people are eaten up by excessive taxation.

It is not said that all these people from Southern Italy, and other points in the south of Europe, whence most of our immigrants now come, are undesirable. Many of them—perhaps a majority of them—are frugal, industrious and law abiding, soon becoming good, and even enthusiastic American citizens—better perhaps, than some of those "to the manner born." On the other hand, it cannot be denied that many of these immigrants, if not absolutely vicious and criminal, are densely ignorant and utterly unable to comprehend the rudiments of a free government, so that if they do not join the ever-increasing army of criminals, they fall an easy prey to those designing men who use such illiterate tools for base political purposes. The main question for us to consider is: Are we, as a nation, prepared to assimilate such an immense amount of undigested human material as is dumped on our shores every year, now that in this country the avenues of useful employment are becoming, if not overcrowded, at least fairly well filled? As we all know, overeating, even when the food is wholesome in itself, produces bad results.

Mr. Reid closed his speech to the New Englanders with the following pertinent reference to the tyranny of labor unions, whose actions are so often absolutely un-American.

"Are we taking that safe course to preserve the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity if, after fighting four years to free negro labor at the South, we now, under this new guidance, permit organizations unknown to the law to enslave white labor in every building and manufacturing center at the North? Are we following that safe course if a workman, however intelligent or industrious or competent and deserving, is deprived of the right to earn his living on terms mutually satisfactory to himself and his employer? Are we following that safe course if an honest laborer can be driven from his employment and denied work anywhere at his trade because he obeyed the call of the Governor of his State, on the militia of the State, to maintain order in the State?"

It is high time that the whole question of immigration to this country should be taken up, and considered in a dispassionate and deliberate manner. Every reasonable man will certainly agree that a nation undoubtedly has the right to say that the vicious, the criminal, the imbecile and the diseased shall be forbidden entrance to its shores. The United States may be a refuge for the oppressed of all nations, but we are not yet quite ready to admit that it is a reform school, an insane asylum or a hospital.

The National Educational Association has changed the date of its meeting in St. Louis next summer in order that its members may get out of town before the National Democratic Convention assembles. This is a wise proceeding, from the fact that otherwise the speakers of the association wouldn't have been able to make themselves heard. A crowd of Democrats in convention assembled has been known to rip the blue empyrean wide open with the noise of it, to drown the sounds of rushing waters, to deaden the roar of a cyclone and to cause cattle in a Chicago stockyard to make a break for the prairie country. The Educational Association has shown evidence of discretion.

The war fever in Colombia is dying out, and one of the most rabid fire-eaters of that country has been placed under arrest. This adds something to the prospects for an isthmian canal, for which the United States is truly grateful. Now if the Senate will carefully eschew further debate and proceed to take a vote, dirt ought to be flying muy pronto, for which the people of North America, as well as of other countries, will ever pray.

CITY PURCHASING AGENT.

It has practically been decided by the Supply Committee of the City Council to recommend to that body the creation of the office of city purchasing agent, in accordance with the recommendation made by the Mayor in his annual message. The need for such a municipal department has been becoming more and more apparent for some years, as the business of the city and the aggregate of supplies required have increased. All requisitions for supplies must first be passed upon by the Supply Committee. This committee has found it to be a physical impossibility to investigate all the demands from the several departments, and in consequence members of the committee have often been obliged to give their assent to requisitions although they were in doubt as to whether the prices paid were as low as could have been obtained if the matter of buying could have been given more thorough attention.

That the Council will act favorably upon the recommendation of the Supply Committee (and of the Mayor) is probable. The plan seems feasible, and the fact that it has proved successful in other cities is a point in its favor. On general principles, there is a decided public sentiment against creating any more municipal offices. In the opinion of many well-informed citizens there are now more such offices than are really needed. But in this case it is apparent that the creation of the proposed office of city purchasing agent ought to prove a measure of rea. economy. If the right kind of a man be appointed to the position—and care should be taken that the right kind of a man is appointed—he should be able to save the amount of his salary several times over in the course of a year.

Especial qualifications are needed for this position. The appointee should be, first of all, a man of strict and proved integrity. He should also be a man of first-class business ability. To place a man in the position who is deficient in business ability and sound commercial judgment would be worse than to leave matters as they are at present. The salary for the position should be sufficient to secure a man thoroughly competent to fulfill its duties. It is proposed to make the position an advisory one until provision for its permanent establishment can be inserted in the charter at the next general election. This will afford an opportunity to give the plan a thorough test. If it prove successful, there will be no trouble in securing the approval of the people at the polls. If, on the other hand, the experiment should prove unsuccessful, after thorough trial, there will be no occasion for submitting it to a vote of the people, and it can be quietly abandoned.

We may be having dry weather, but there are some weather doings going on in Alabama and other States which make our particular complaint take on the semblance of a great blessing. If there is any comfort in comparing one's condition with that of those who are so much worse off, there is ample room for the dweller amid these sunshiny places to congratulate himself for, even though there may be a lack of moisture and incidental discomfort because thereof, we are free from cyclonic outbursts, floods, frosts, blizzards and other disturbances that make for death, disease and discomfort. The glorious climate of California is still an asset of inestimable value, even though the particular kind just now on exhibition is not quite up to the standard.

Mr. Tillman says he wants a canal at Panama if we do not have to steal it. Such being the case there would seem to be no reason why Mr. Tillman shouldn't demand a roll call, as it is clear to everybody, unless it be Tillman himself, that we aren't stealing anything. The sum of $10,000,000 which we are to pay for the canal would be saved were Uncle Sam engaging in grand larceny. As about all the politics has been made out of this Panama discussion that the Democracy can extract therefrom, an early vote is decidedly in order.

Judging by the information that Colombia is unable to sell her eggs because of the blustering that has been going on about war with Panama we presume that the helpful hen of that country is still laying faithfully for her master and hasn't assumed to quit, like the once peerless pullet of California. Even if she has lost Panama, Colombia has one blessing to be thankful for.

The most valuable use yet made of a golf club has occurred in Pasadena, where a lady lifted her other half a welt because he was carrying on a flirtation with a charming widow. The only excuse for the act of the man in the case is that those San Francisco widows, whether grass or regular, are remarkably seductive. But a golf club will probably serve as a cure for the San Francisco-widow habit of any man.

The information is now given out that the Pure Food Bill which has recently made its way through Congress is not to take effect until September 1 proximo, consequently those who desire to fill the eating populace up with deleterious compounds have still more than eight months time in which to get in their deadly work. During that period it might be as well, perhaps, to beware of food.

Late dispatches report that trade in Wall street is increasing, but as yet there isn't enough business in sight to warrant promoters in attempting to float any of those schemes suffering from dropsy and wind colic. Such digestion as is going on in the Street has enough material to work on for several years to come.

From all appearances the oriental question is likely to be settled with less friction and hard feelings between diverse interests than the matter of transfers on Ninth street in the city of Los Angeles. The wars of peace are sometimes more stubbornly contested than those that consist in bloodletting.

Big catches of pompano are being made in the offing at Terminal Island and East San Pedro, and it is to be noticed that the same are not being hauled out through ice floes such as make the Atlantic fishing grounds just now such a sportsman's territory as it is wise to skip.

One of these days an express box will be robbed that has something in it. If the bandits keep everlastingly at it. For there are times when valuables are transported by express, even though robbers do not always appear to be able to pick out the right receptacle.

The man with the snow shovel is now being overworked in New York and at other points along the Atlantic seaboard, but a thaw is anticipated, and the next thing will be something else.

Chicago now has a milk trust which would appear to be mighty near of kin to the anti-toxin trust. Early bursting of those two combines would, on the face of things, appear to be desirable.

Arizona declares for perpetual existence as a Territory in preference to joint Statehood with New Mexico. But wait until we hear more particulars from New Mexico.

Certain of our French neighbors are attempting to "kick" Colombia onto the United States, but Colombia is showing an inclination to make a break for the rear.

Colorado has tapped her first oil lake and is now in prime condition to make the intimate acquaintance of John D. Rockefeller.

Judging by Washington advices Mr. Bunau-Varilla, Minister from Panama, is about to be invited to take his hyphen and go.

Under existing conditions striking means rioting or defeat. It also means rioting and defeat.—[Chicago Chronicle.

The ice gorge in Long Island Sound is even more serious than the glut of undigested securities in Wall street.

Gen. Jiminez is short of ammunition, but is still holding the fort. Hang on Jim.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Lott Recital.

Harry Clifford Lott, baritone, made his initial appearance in Blanchard Hall last evening, singing to one of the largest concert audiences of the season. Mr. Lott chose a widely diversified programme of eighteen numbers, selecting his arias, ballads and dramatic excerpts with discriminating taste. He sang throughout the evening, and though there were no other selections than his, the intelligent art of the singer sufficed to hold the interested attention of the big body of people before him.

The newcomer has a light voice well trained. He does not possess exceptional range in either direction, and the quality of his voice is ordinary. Indeed, there is a slightly disagreeable tendency to tremolo—which, however, he might easily overcome. It is in the intellectual side of singing, indeed more than half the art, in which he excels His voice is not big enough for a large auditorium and he is aware of the fact, consequently making slight attempt toward forcing his vocal machinery. He is quite a master of the subtle refinements of ballad singing, and can give a dialect song in a unique style that is distinctly humorous. There were three on last evening's programme—Irish, Scotch and English airs, with the provincial accent of their nativity about each of them.

The prologue to Pagliacci was fittingly recited, each melodic phrase bearing evidence of the singer's careful study of the dramatic meaning of the whole. And by the way, it was whispered last night that Lott has been engaged for a coming Symphony concert, at which time he will again sing the prologue.

Miss Mary L. O'Donoughue fittingly accompanied the baritone at the piano. Lott's three groups of songs included: "Aus Deinen Augen" (Ries;) "Das Blatt Im Buche" (Ries;) "Trennung" (Ries;) "Die Blauen Fruehlingsaugen" (Ries;) "Aus Meinen Grossen Schmerzen" (Franz;) "Gute Nacht" (Franz;) "Im Herbst" (Franz;) "Prologue I Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo;) "The King Is Dead" (Lang;) "Ritournelle" (Chaminade;) (English) "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes." (Irish) "My Love Nell" (Scotch) (arr. by Fox.) "O White's the Moon" (Mac Cunn;) "Thou Gazest on the Stars" (Oley Speaks;) "When We Two Parted" (Clarence Lucas;) "If You Become a Nun, Dear" (Clarence Lucas;) "King Charles" (Maude V. White;) "Marching Along" (Maude V. White.)

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Congregational Orchestra.

Neither did the First Congregational Orchestra lack for an audience. The young instrumentalists under William Mead's baton played to a large number of people at Temple Church last night, and their excellent programme was well received. This is the ninth season of the orchestra, and during the past few years it has grown to professional size and efficiency.

The soloist was J. B. Poulin, who sang for his first number Beethoven's beautiful "Adelaide," with orchestral accompaniment. Mr. Poulin refused an encore. Members of the orchestra who had solo numbers or passages were Roy B. Sumner, cornet, and J. Ira Moyse, trombone. Miss Aileen Northup was the accompanist.

Here is the programme as given: March, "Wedding Procession" (Rubinstein;) overture, "Masaniello" (Auber;) "Adelaide" (Beethoven,) Mr. Poulin and orchestra; Dance of the Bayaderes, from "Peramors" (Rubinstein;) Miserere, from "Trovatore" (Verdi,) duet for cornet and trombone; Favorite Movements from "Dinorah" (Meyerbeer;) songs, "Thy Beaming Eyes" (MacDowell,) "A Summer Wooing" (Rogers,) Mr. Poulin; intermezzo, "Cupid's Pleadings" (Walker;) gavotte, "L'Ingenue" (Arditi;) Pilgrims' Chorus, from "Tannhauser" (Wagner.)

"TWEENTIMES.

By E. A. Brininstool.

"WE'RE CINCHED!"

Ernestina Schmidt of San Francisco has filed a petition with the Board of Supervisors that an ordinance be passed permitting that "any male person over the age of 21 years, upon being proposed to by an unmarried female over the age of 25 years, and who is of the same religion, and is not engaged or prohibited by law from intermarriage, who shall refuse to accept such proposal to marry said female, shall be guilty of misdemeanor."—[Dispatch to The Times.

The giddy girls of 'Frisco town,
With lovers yet to capture,
Whose tender hearts have never throbbed
With ecstacy and rapture,
Who've never felt a mannish arm
Most lovingly embrace 'em,
Are asking for an ordinance
By which the men must face 'em.

Now, listen to the scheme they have
For raking in a hubby
No matter if he's fat or lean,
Or tall or short and stubby;
It matters not his politics,
His faith, howe'er, must tally
With that of Marguerite or Fan,
Or Gwendolyn or Sally.

Now, should it chance a blithesome miss,
Inclined toward matrimony,
And anxious for a partner in
The marriage ceremony,
Should pick a likely-looking chap,
(Though he might never choose her)
It's going to be a crime, by law,
For that chap to refuse her!

It matters not about her looks—
Mayhap, she is red-headed,
And homely, too, but never mind,
If only she be wedded;
She may be forty-four or five,
He may be only twenty,
But should he tell her "nay,"—alack!
'Twill trouble bring a-plenty!

Another point—he cannot say:
"I'll think the matter over,"
She's cinched the nail right on the head,
In fact, she's "right in clover;"
Because if she should say to him:
"Be mine," he cannot shake her—
The ordinance declares that then
And there, he's got to take her!

Ah, what a boon for old maids, who
For ages long have tarried,
And prayed for just this chance, by which
They, haply, might get married!
And now the youths of 'Frisco town
Are losing their digestion,
And shunning every girl they see,
For fear she'll pop the question!

Southern Washington bewails the fact that she cannot sell her prune crop. Perhaps the effete Eastern boarding-house mistress who believes in patronising home industry is filling up her boarders on dried apples.

HEIFER LOSES HER MASTER.

Henry Hogg lost a fine two-year-old heifer by being strangled in the barn last week.—[Warsaw (N. Y.) New-Yorker.

In case of war between Japan and Russia, France seems determined to at least poke her nose within powder-smelling distance.

The New York Central is planning to run trains at the speed of 120 miles an hour. Are there not enough railroad wrecks as it is, with trains running at less than half that speed?

Indianapolis gets the national Prohibition Convention. But can the thirsty Hoosiers stand plain water during its dry, dreary sessions?

Still, if you have any dollar bills of which you have any fear, pass 'em this way and we'll take the chances.

In order to get himself really talked about and to boost his "boom," Willie Hearst should make it a point, about twice a week, to deny that he is a candidate for the nomination.

BOIL YOUR MONEY!

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 23.—Dr. Otto Fiedler, City Analyst, has found 50,000,422 germs on an ordinary old one-dollar bill. He says there is nothing unusual in this. He made the investigation in the interest of the Post Check Currency Bill.

Now there'll be another "holler,"
Since, upon a paper dollar,
Germs and microbes by the million
have been found;
And the student in bacteriology will make it clear
That it's fatal to have greenbacks passed around.

Just imagine all the squirmin',
Wriggling, creeping, crawling vermin
You have fostered and have fattened in your life!
Passed 'em out for circulation,
Without proper fumigation,
When you got a call for money from your wife!

Microbes of an awful breeding,
Germs on all diseases feeding,
You have entertained 'em all without a kick;
Never made the least objection,
Though 'twould sure invite infection,
When they covered dollar greenbacks double-thick!

Let us have a germ-ejector,
Hire a dollar-bill inspector,
And a greenback disinfectant plant create;
And up to the entrance leading,
Elevate a signboard, reading:

PAPER MONEY
FUMIGATED
WHILE YOU WAIT!

Russia is struggling hard before the mirror to get her modus vivendi on straight.

Reed Smoot has again denied the charges against him. Mr. Smoot is finding that the paths to political glory are not paved with roses and sunshine.

A young man named Yeast took the the first prize in an oratorical contest in Kansas, and up to date, eighty-seven paragraphers in as many papers, have gotten off that age-worn "joke" that Mr. Yeast is bound to rise in the world.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Providing for the Future.

It looks as if the only thing for Korea to do is to take out all the accident insurance it can get.—[Washington Star.

Would be National Calamity.

Art is going to be a heavy loser if the boll-weevil ever gets into the hirsute sunburst of Hon. James Hamilton Lewis.—[Denver Republican.

A Symptom.

Henry Clews says that Russia is in poor condition financially. Can it be possible that Russia bought Steel common, too?—[Detroit Free Press.

No Hard Usage.

Mr. Bryan says the Kansas City platform will stand another campaign. There have not been enough people standing on it to wear out.—[Washington Post.

Has Only Heard of One.

Aguinaldo's appointment as a commissioner to the St. Louis Exposition will at least serve to teach him that Boston is not the only city in the United States.—[New York World.

Pessimistic Politics.

Wu Ting-fang's latest interview in which he confesses that he sees no hope for his country would seem to indicate that the ex-Minister has turned Populist.—[Kansas City Star.

But What of Past Performances.

Theatrical managers in Chicago protest that Mayor Harrison's order closing all the playhouses is unreasonable and oppressive. All they want is a show.—[Kansas City Journal.

Watching Out for Their Welfare.

A man who drew $10,000 in a lottery died of heart failure. To avoid results of this sort the lottery managers kindly permit most of their patrons to draw nice, healthy blanks.—[Denver Post.

Should Practice His Theories.

Alfred Austin's poetical contribution to the literature of the new year is entitled "Moving Onward." Any tendency in this direction on the part of Mr. Austin will be gratefully appreciated.—[Chicago Tribune.

No Paper Could Stand the Test.

Mr. Henry Watterson explains that he has never spoken unkindly of either President Roosevelt or Mr. Bryan. It would be interesting to find out how Mr. Watterson would speak of a man whom he desired to roast good and hard.—[Chicago Record-Herald.

NO WONDER THEY DON'T FIGHT.

Just wait until spring, however.

WHEN THE WIND...

Two ships which the...
Beside each other...
At anchor in a...
Together sailed...

Awhile across the...
The self-same...
Until a mighty...
The seas with fury...

Then, by the tempest...
When it had...
Each captain...
In ocean depths...

Both vessels quickly...
Toward England's...
But neither all the...
Or saw its fellow...

At length, in thickest...
One entered Fire...
And lo, when broke the...
They side by side...

How many on life's...
In peace and amity...
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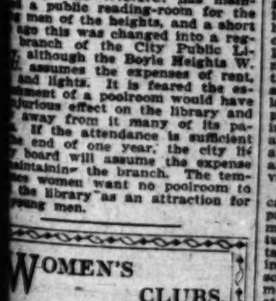

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Two ships which for a time
Beside each other lay,
At anchor in a foreign clime,
Together sailed one day.

Awhile across the main
The self-same course they
Until a mighty hurricane
The seas with fury shook.

Then, by the tempest tossed,
When it had overblown,
Each captain mourned his
In ocean depths gone down.

Both vessels onward sailed
Toward England's southern
But neither all the voyage
Or saw its fellow more.

At length, in thickest night,
One entered Plymouth
And lo, when broke the
They side by side were

How many on life's seas,
In peace and amity
Sailing together in the
In storms part company!

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the days of which Kipling speaks,
when "Pharaoh and her father made the
camel walk," to the great delight of the
"dancing ladies," artistic expression
being a vital principle in man as soon
as he emerged from the state of in-
fancy and was governed by thought.
Art was first depicted, and then
Egypt and early Greece and Rome had
their mural decorations, the mate-
rials used in them depending upon the
thought to be expressed, the exposure
to which they would be subjected,
and the climatic conditions. The first
master of illustion was one Appoledorus, who mixed color to represent nature, these old Greeks using the white of egg and the milk of figs as a medium for the mixing of colors. This mixture gave great brilliancy of color, which bore out even on the gold backgrounds used then.
The use of oil, he spoke of as being started or rediscovered in Holland, and thence spreading to the other countries, oil having the advantage of preserving colors, even in cold countries, and being a medium which allowed a peculiar depth and profundity of touch.
Water colors, Mr. Lungren regards as difficult of manipulation, except in the hands of an expert, and recommends direct painting, with as few repetitions as possible. He does not approve of the stilted English method of applying many washes, and, in his opinion, America has accomplished more than any other nation in water-color work.
It is very evident that Mr. Lungren's favorite medium of expression is pastel, and he waxed eloquent in his description of its unlimited range of possibilities in depicting nature. In his estimation it is the purest and most durable medium in existence, although there is no perfect medium, and he mentioned having a particularly valuable pastel dusted off completely by a colored servant. In painting in Egypt and in the dry, chalky atmosphere of Arizona, Mr. Lungren achieved his best results with pastel, and he looks to the time when its value will be better understood.
After discussing palettes and brushes, canvas and paper, technique and expression, he said that all that remained was simply to paint the picture, and that required much the same talent as was necessary for the making of good bread, and was given to some men and not to others. Most men, he said, craved the physical strength to develop their ideas and inspirations, but for the benefit of those who were without ideas, a certain enterprising young woman had adopted the curious profession of supplying ideas, supplying stage settings, supplying herself as a model, and then taking a percentage on the sale of the picture. She had offered to sell the speaker an idea, so he knew.
Before closing, Mr. Lungren threw much light upon the art of illustration, and made a special plea for the really good things that lay behind the ofttimes fantastic and ridiculous impressionist craze.
Among the guests of the club was the artist's beautiful young wife.
Delegates from the Friday Morning Club to the State Federation meeting in Sacramento have been appointed, but have not signified their acceptance as yet. It is understood, however, that Miss Mary Jones of the Los Angeles Public Library will be one of its able representatives.

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THE TIMES MAGAZINE tomorrow will contain a comprehensive article on Radio-Activity and the progress of scientific investigation in the line of physics.

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THE WEATHER.

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	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	32	28	30	New York	34	30	32
Pittsburgh	54	46	50	Buffalo	44	34	34
Chicago	36	30	33	Cincinnati	56	52	54
St. Louis	50	34	42	St. Paul	18	14	16
Los Angeles	60	50	55	Kansas City	34	18	26

*The maximum is for January 21; the minimum for January 22. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 22.—[Reported by George H. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.18; at 5 p.m., 30.12. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 41 deg. and 59 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 65 per cent.; 5 p.m., 52 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 9 miles. Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 39 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—High pressure continues west of the plateau region, with fair, cold weather, though the temperature is beginning to rise. Heavy frost occurred at Fresno and Los Angeles this morning. Rain has fallen on the North Pacific Coast and in the Interior.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday; winds mostly northerly.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure has fallen slowly over the southern half of the Pacific Slope, and has risen rapidly over the northern half. No rain has fallen in California. Warmer weather is reported over the entire country west of the Rocky Mountains. In Nevada, through the Sierras and in the northern portion of the Sacramento Valley, the temperatures are from 2 to 16 deg. above the normal. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Saturday; light fog in the morning; light northerly winds.

Southern California: Fair Saturday; warmer; light northeast winds, changing to westerly.

Nevada: Fair Saturday; continued warm.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Saturday, with fog in the morning; light northeast wind.

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PERSONAL—MRS. M. ALLY... THE WELL-known palmist and psychic, gives advice on all affairs of life. 462 S. BROADWAY. 26

PERSONAL—MRS. M. A. GIBBONS, FORmerly of the Hillside restaurant, will open the HOTEL MATSON, 325 Central ave. 24

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Nurse girl, city, $20 etc.; housegirl, China, $25; housegirls, city, $20 and $25; girls to assist, $15 to $20.

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WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY; ABLE-BODIED unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 113½ N. MAIN ST., Los Angeles.

WANTED — SALESMAN; RELIABLE HUSTler, exclusive local agency, shoe and dress trade, "Preserve" shoe dressing, greatest on earth; pocket samples; liberal terms; also road salesman; any line; shoeman preferred; mens article as side line; references required. TEATS POLISH CO., Indianapolis, Ind.

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WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND STENOGrapher; permanent place; write, giving experience, age and salary desired. Address L, box 76, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 14 YEARS OLD, BY a reliable firm; opportunity to learn a trade. Call at 118 S. BROADWAY, Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock.

WANTED—4-HORSE TEAMSTER, STEADY job to haul wood; must understand the care of horses; married preferred. GEO. M'KIBBON, Hesperia, Cal.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS COACHMAN; give references and experience in detail; also wages expected. Address box 21, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED — SEVERAL EXPERIENCED men for cutter and bindery work. COMMERCIAL PRINTING HOUSE, 209 South Los Angeles st.

WANTED—MAN TO TOP AND CUT IN stove wood, six large gum trees for two-thirds of the wood. Address L, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF planing mill; make estimates and oversee mill. Apply to UNION MILL CO., Santa Barbara.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS JOBBING CARpenter who can turn and do bench work; also first-class jobbing carpenter, 742 S. MAIN.

WANTED—ACTIVE YOUNG MEN TO COLlect weekly payments; good salary; chance for advancement. 215 HENNE BLDG.

WANTED — AN ENGINEER FOR OIL pumping plant; must have had experience. WOOLNER OIL CO., 119 S. Broadway.

WANTED—BUTLER WITH REFERENCES; wages $45, room and board. Apply MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway.

WANTED — BOYS WITH WHEELS FOR messengers. Call at 216 W. FIRST ST.

WANTED—BOY FOR GROCERY. ADDRESS L, box 6, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Help. Male.

WANTED—GOOD ADVERTISING SOLICItor, WESTERN MASON PUBLISHING CO., 126 N. Broadway.

WANTED—FEEDER FOR JOB PRESS; PIONEER ROLL PAPER CO., 201 North Los Angeles st.

WANTED—CARPENTER TO FINISH COTtage at 2415 HOUGH ST. Don't call Sunday.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL, $6 a week. SUN DRUG CO., Second and Broadway.

WANTED—AT ONCE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, $40 month. 362 SEVENTH ST., Santa Monica.

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE; half price. 123 E. SECOND. Barber College.

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WANTED—TAILOR FOR BUSHEL WORK. Apply at 213½ W. FIRST ST.

WANTED—COMPOSITOR. ADDRESS L, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOY DISHWASHER. 3 MEALS. $5.00. 734 S. MAIN.

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Help. Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS.
Female Department. Ramona Blk.
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Housekeeper, age 30 to 35, salary $25; thoroughly experienced delicacy clerk, $7 and board; girl, hairdressing parlor, $7 week; women, general housework, $25 and $30; assistants, $15 and $20; waitresses, hotels, $25 and found; waitresses, restaurant, $6, $9 week; first-class laundress, $20 and found; 3 starch ironers, $9, $10, $14; mangle girls, starchers and shakers, $7, $8, $9; seamstresses, $1.25 and $1.50; factory work, $7, $8, $10.

WANTED—TWO WAITRESSES, FIRST-class hotel, $20; another, $35; two arm waitresses, $9 and $10.50; housegirl, 2 in family, $30; another, $25; housegirl, Santa Monica, $30; city, $20; waitress beach over Sunday, $1 meal; second girl, Santa Barbara, $25; butler, $45. MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway.

WANTED—NEAT YOUNG GIRL FOR COMpany for old lady; can go to school and have a good home; orphan or girl from country or near-by town preferred; state age. Address L, box 30, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SEAMSTRESS, DOCTOR'S ATtendant, envelope addressers, salesladies, bath attendant, chambermaid, waitress, parlor maid, housework, dressmaker, office work. EDWARD NITTINGER, 325½ S. Main.

WANTED—GIRL, ABOUT 16 TO DO UPstairs work and assist in taking care of child 5 years old; good home and fairly reasonable salary. Address 1622 S. HOPE ST.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY PIANO PLAYER for vaudeville company to go on the road. Call Saturday and Sunday, 1 to 4 o'clock. 327½ S. SPRING ST. Room 46.

WANTED—GOOD ARM WAITRESS AND women for places in and out of city. GUILKERSON & MANCHESTER EMPLOYMENT CO., 244½ S. Broadway.

WANTED — SALESLADY FOR LACE AND embroidery department; must have thorough experience in these lines. Apply J. M. HALE CO., 107 N. Spring.

WANTED—AT PASADENA, COMPETENT girl for general housework; wages $25. Apply 185 S. ORANGE GROVE AVE., Pasadena.

WANTED—NEAT GIRL ABOUT 16 YEARS old to care for a 4-year-old child during the day. Call mornings. 1035 W. SEVENTH.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DOUBLE-ENTRY book-keeper; state experience. Address, own handwriting, H, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMployment office, 123½ E. Fourth st., for women only. Phone James 5421.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED IRONERS; good wages; steady work. Apply TROY LAUNDRY, corner 14th and Main.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework. Call at BONOFF, 414 N. Hill st., near California.

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WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED TRIMMER on millinery. Apply VIENNA EMPORIUM, 340 S. Broadway.

WANTED — GOOD OPERATORS FOR wrappers to take work home. 147 VINE ST.

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WANTED—2 FIRST-CLASS WAITRESSES at once. HOTEL ALVARADO.

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WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST. 1413 S. FLOWER ST.

WANTED — A CHAMBER MAID AT 200 TEMPLE ST.

WANTED—
Situations. Male.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LADIES' TAILOR (Scotch, American); just arrived from Boston, Mass., would like position with first-class house as cutter and fitter; capable of taking full charge; good recommendations furnished. Address K, box 8, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES POSITION in power plant; have had 2 years experience in the engine room; have knowledge of electricity and can do mechanical drawing; willing to make anything in line of promotion. Address L, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF GOOD EDUcation and five years' business experience in wholesale house, desires situation of any kind where he can make himself generally useful; best references; moderate wages. Address J, box 89, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE, RELIABLE, GOOD cook, who has experience for many years; wants position in small private family; works clean and patiently; city or country; wages $5 up per week. N. S., 647 S. Spring. 'Phone Main 2042.

WANTED—MAN 40 WITH SEVERAL YEARS' experience as collector, ware-houseman and shipping clerk, desires position; best reference given to honesty. Address L, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAMBER WORK, HOTELS, $20; cooking, $25 to $30; waitresses, housework, $20, $25; girls to assist, $25. MRS. KEIFFER, 221½ S. Spring, room 10. Home 'Phone 3429.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS EASTERN clothing and furnishing salesman wishes position; good eastern and local references. Address L, box 72, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BOOK-KEEPER, CITY OR country; young man, with seven years' experience in Los Angeles; good references. Address K, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, TEN YEARS resident of California, would like clerical position with wholesale house; references. Address K, box 69, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG JAPAnese to do general housework in respectable family. Address S. S. KIMA, 211 Wilmington st. Tel. Main 1947.

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WANTED—MAN WITH GOOD HORSE AND light wagon wishes to do delivering, collecting or other first-class references, 254 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—A JAPANESE BOY WISHES TO get a position to work at lawyer or doctor's office 3 hours or half day. Address HAITO, 726 E. Valencia st.

WANTED—BRIGHT JAPANESE WANTS a position, any kind help, where he can go to the night school. Address K, box 81, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — COACHMAN, COMPETENT man would like a situation; also understands the care of lawn. Address K, box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION AS ASSISTANT book-keeper or general office work by young married man. J. E. B., 766 EARLHAM ST., Pasadena.

WANTED—WANT GOOD HELP? 'PHONE 4677; Main 1667. GILKERSON & MANCHESTER EMPLOYMENT CO., 244½ South Broadway.

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WANTED—POSITION IN DRUG STORE BY young man who has had two years' experience. Address L, box 73, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO TAKE FULL CHARGE OF boarding-house in mining camp of not less than 100 men. BONNER, 109 S. Broadway.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG JAPANESE wants a position as valet; has experience. HENRY TAKANO, care 1304½ N. Spring st.

WANTED—BY JAPANESE POSITION AS kitchen help; house work. MOSKIMAHN, 816A, W. Seventh. Tel. Home 3364.

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WANTED — REFINED NEW ENGLAND lady would like position as widower's family as housekeeper. Address MISS C. A. PIPPER, 3236 Michigan ave.

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WANTED—BY W. H. ALLEN & SON. Have you a vacant lot in the southwest section that you desire to sell at once? If the price is reasonable, we can make a quick sale for you. YOU NEED US IN SELLING REAL ESTATE. W. H. ALLEN & SON, 716 Douglas Bldg.

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21 WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

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REPORTS OF OUR CONSULS.

Mr. Prickett Sends Observations from Rheims.

Agricultural Co-operation as Practiced in Denmark.

California Dried Fruits Reported Popular in Saxony.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The American Consul stationed at Rheims, France, William A. Prickitt by name, has made a few observations upon the possibility of extending the market for American goods in Northeast France. In his communication to the State Department Consul Prickitt employs a much livelier style of composition than is usual in government communications. He treats of serious matters in a charming and conversational way which brings the points home to the reader in a most effective manner. His most recent communication to Washington is worth quoting in full, not only for the information it contains, but for its readable character. He is positive in his statement of facts and lucid in his deductions. He says that the best way to sell American goods in this part of France is to establish a general agency at Paris and work the surrounding territory by means of traveling or local agents.

"In this manner," he says, "more goods can be exported at one time and much lower rates of transportation secured. Have the catalogues and advertising matter printed in French, and have capable men, familiar with the goods, for agents. The Paris agency of an American typewriter company has established a local agency at Rheims during the past year. It has an excellent agent who has succeeded in selling many machines.

"Breakfast foods have been placed on sale at one of the finest grocery stores in the city. The paper boxes containing the cereals are printed on all sides with statements describing their merits, directions for use, etc., in the French language. A little pamphlet in French is given to each customer. These goods, owing to the way they are being pushed, are having good sales. American evaporated fruits, particularly apples and apricots, are having increased sales. Very inferior native apples are selling at retail in the markets at this date at 5 cents a pound, owing to the failure of the apple crop. There is a heavy duty on apples for the table—$2.80 per 220 pounds.

"During my administration as Consul I have explained many times why the merchants here do not import directly from the United States. The difference in the money, weights, and measures and the absence of a port of entry make it very difficult to establish direct communication between would-be sellers in the United States and purchasers at Rheims. I have succeeded in doing this in a few instances, but even after one or two sales were made the seller lost the trade because he had no one on this side to look after it. The commercial traveler is always in evidence, and the solicitor for trade on the spot, and has something which he declares 'just as good or better' than the article furnished by the absent seller, is almost sure of success. As a rule, competition is now so great that trade must be continually looked after in order to keep it.

"But the most difficult thing to do in France is to introduce an article to which the people are not accustomed. It will not do to count on selling things in France because they are popular in the United States. Here is a case in point:

"Almost all articles of use are well made in France, for they are made to last and to do good service, but the article is often made too heavy. I am fond of driving and I thought I would show the people here how much superior an American buggy is to their heavy and uncomfortable carts. In 1901 I imported an American phaeton weighing 440 pounds, which would be considered heavy in the United States. It is an up-to-date carriage with leather top, rubber tires, and self-oiling axles. I was sure that I could easily sell it if I concluded not to keep it. I reckoned without my host. The freight and duty from New York to Rheims was $100, which shows that carriages should not be imported singly. I was astonished, for I had not figured on over one-half of that amount. But I said, 'Never mind! I will give these people an object lesson.' I have given the lesson, but without effect. I wish to sell, for I have found that I cannot afford to keep a horse and carriage. It is no trouble to sell a horse, but the phaeton is still in my possession. I have offered to sell it at a bargain. I have advertised it in the newspapers. I have pointed out that if a bicycle weighing twenty-five pounds will carry a heavy person safely thousands of miles, it is entirely inutile to use a carriage weighing half a ton to carry two persons. I have explained that it is on account of the heavy vehicles that so many of the horses here are knee sprung. All this has no effect; the people are not accustomed to light carriages. They look at my phaeton, shrug their shoulders, and say, 'Pas solide.'"

In her book entitled "Danish Life in Town and Country," recently published, Mrs. Jessie Brochner of Copenhagen devotes a very interesting and instructive chapter to the subject of agricultural coöperation. Some significant figures are presented to show the great influence which agricultural coöperation has had in the development of Denmark's export trade. Mrs. Brochner states that coöperative dairying is directly responsible for an increase in the value of Danish butter exports from about $5,000,000 in 1882, the date of the formation of the first coöperative dairy in Denmark, to over $20,000,000 in 1900. Mrs. Brochner adds:

"This vast increase has been brought about both by the increase of production and by the marked improvement in quality, which is placed at something like 20 per cent., and without which Danish butter would have secured no hing like its present privileged position. The first Danish coöperative dairy dates from 1882. Now there are 1057 coöperative dairies in Denmark, comprising some 140,000 members and receiving milk from 850,000 cows, or more than four-fifths of the total number of cows. Next in importance to the dairies come, within the coöperative movement, the bacon factories. The coöperative bacon factories have undoubtedly tended greatly to increase the farmer's revenue from his pigs, and one just erected is the twenty-seventh. The Danish coöperative bacon factories now have about 65,000 members, and last year they killed 636,000 pigs and 10,000 head of cattle, amounting in money to $10,576,000, the price received for bacon in the English market averaging 4 cents per pound above the average price of bacon from other countries.

"The third of the three staple articles of food which Denmark exports—eggs—was the last to come under the beneficial influence of coöperation and had to wait another ten years before there was any question of 'coöperative eggs.' In 1895 a Danish coöperative egg-export society was started and it has now about 20,000 members under obligation to collect the eggs, which are all stamped every day, with a view to their being taken to the district centers. Last year coöperative eggs were sold in England to the value of about $1,606,000, and greatly owing to the influence of this movement, the value of exports of eggs from Denmark has risen from $1,947,000 in 1895 to more than $4,330,000 in 1901. Danish eggs now averaging about 6 cents more per score (3.6 cents per dozen) in the English market than other foreign eggs. If Denmark during last year had received the same average price in the English market for her produce as did other foreign countries she would have been $1,764,000 poorer on her butter, $4,329,000 poorer on her bacon, and $1,071,000 poorer in her eggs.

"The love of coöperative enterprise in Danish farmers is, however, by no means confined to a rational handling of her products, but has manifested itself in many other directions. The aggregate number of members of the various Danish coöperative institutions exceeds 400,000 and the aggregate value of the annual exports of coöperative butter, bacon, and eggs amounts to 178,000,000 kroner ($47,704,000.)"

Just how much American consuls have assisted in building up the foreign trade of this country cannot be accurately determined, but there is little doubt that their untiring efforts entitle them to the increase in compensation which Secretary of State Hay is endeavoring to obtain for them. Complaints against the consular service of the United States are loudest from American citizens. The question of consular reform is more conservatively treated in all other countries which are striving for the biggest share of the world's trade. The chief argument advanced is the need of consuls, in the first place, for the furtherance of commercial interests. One would think that th consular service of England, which has had such a large share of the universal commerce, should have been perfected by this time, but, as has been noted by the English press the English consuls are not able to assist commercial circles effectively, since their reports after they go through the Foreign Office and Board of Trade appear too late to aid the British merchant. Although the efforts of the American Consul have done much toward introducing American goods. There has been a decided augmentation in the sale of dried fruit imported from this country. Refrigerators, ice cream churns and oil stoves are finding sale. The following articles canot be found in that city: Chewing gum, canned oysters, grits, laundry machinery, molasses, canned corn, sweet potatoes, rubber stamps, barber chairs, spring window shades and lamps.

The much-talked-of general trust of all the steel interests of Germany seems now in a fair way to become realized. It appears that for the present only the larger steel works are to be taken into the combination such as are already in the steel-rail, girder and half-rolled goods syndicate. These different syndicates will lose their identity in the new combination, which it is expected that several other syndicates, like the bar-iron, plate, piping, wire and pig-iron combinations, will later attach themselves to it, but maintain their separate identity. The result of these combinations will naturally be to reduce the cost of production and to place German steel on the European market at a price that will be a serious menace to American exporters.

Consul Raymond R. Frazier, stationed at Copenhagen, reports that the trade relations of Denmark with the United States are very cordial. Denmark buys a great variety of articles from us yearly and would buy more in various lines if our exporters and manufacturers were as active in catering to the market as are the Germans. Where there is one American merchant or his representative visiting Denmark there are several Germans, and trade goes largely to those that seek it. The Germans are exceedingly active in Denmark and find a market for their wares by simply "hustling."

According to the report of the Leipsig Chamber of Commerce, American fruits, especially California dried fruits, play an important part in the Leipsig market and throughout Saxony. California prunes and apricots of last crop were excellent in quality. There were general complaints against the abrupt action of the police and other administrative authorities against dealings in these articles on the alleged ground that the sulphuric acid contained therein was injurious to health. American evaporated apples are becoming more popular year by year; their quality is excellent and they are sold in large quantities in the markets of Germany. However, it is desirable that they be packed in boxes giving twenty-five kilograms (fifty-five pounds) net weight of fruit, as is the usage with the California fruit packers.

Consul-General Hanauer, writing from Frankfort, Germany, gives some interesting items of European commerce during the first nine months of 1902. He says that during that period Germany exported bicycles to the value of $4,046,000. Nearly one-fifth went to Holland. The sale of bicycles is continually increasing in the Netherlands, and that country is well worth a thorough canvass by the representatives of American bicycle firms.

Austria's export of barrel staves is reported to be rapidly decreasing, owing to the competition of the American staves. In ten years the Austrian output in this item has dropped from 70,000,000 to 10,000,000 staves.

Efforts are being made to revive the former system of levying tonnage dues on vessels plying on the Rhine River. The collection of such imposts would be injurious to commerce, manufactures and agriculture.

A new line of direct railway communication between the United States and Mexico has just been completed and opened. It is known as the San Pedro-Paredon branch of the Mexican Central Railway, extending from Monterey to Torreon. It is believed that the new railway will be of advantage to the northern part of Texas, and in fact, to all the Western States. The first trains were run over this division December 2, 1902. By the completion of this road the port of Tampico, on the Gulf of Mexico, is connected with the main line of the Mexican Central by way of Monterey, which will be an advantage to New York shippers desiring to use a part-water route for their freights bound for the western part of Mexico. It is understood that within a short time through trains from the United States will be running into Monterey by this new route. The Mexican Central is one of the great systems of railroads in Mexico; it is well built, well arranged, and splendidly equipped with American locomotives and cars. Through trains now run from the northern cities of the United States to Mexico City over the main line. It is reported that the Mexican Central Company has given an order for 2000 new freight cars, which are being built in the United States, and that they have also given an order for eighty-six locomotives.

New Entrance to Times Office.

While the Business Offices of The Times are being remodeled, the entrance to both advertising and subscription departments will be on First street at the eastern extremity of the building.

Animal Stories for Little O

CAT GHOSTS.

They Made Black Pete Repent of His Cruelty.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

"Come here, little boy. I will give you a dime if you'll drown these kittens for me.

"I doesn't want to drown no kittens," answered little black Pete.

"Nonsense!" said Mrs. Brown. "You take the dime and buy you some candy. I warrant the cats will never haunt you."

When little Pete stood on the levee, tying a string to a sack that held the kittens, he felt something rubbing softly against his ankles. It was the poor old mother cat, begging for the lives of her babies. But Pete was hungry for candy now. He opened the sack, pushed the mother cat

s for Little Ones.

tens, you know," Pussy Gray [illegible] demurely.

"Oh! certainly—certainly, I [illegible] stand. Your children would be Flamingoes, of course, and would have shorter legs, fur [illegible] them and no necks—you haven't a neck."

Pussy Gray looked very mad.

"I suppose you know how [illegible] handle a child and hold it and [illegible] it," the Lady Flamingo said. Pussy Gray thought she did, and as young Flamingo was given into charge to take out into the park Flamingo was going to a club couldn't be bothered. That evening when she came home the mother went upstairs to see if her young [illegible] was put properly to roost. On a first limb she met Pussy Gray. "I did the best I could, ma'am," Pussy Gray said. "But I think his legs [illegible] worn off from dragging over the [illegible]els. He did have such a long neck, ma'am."

"Dragging over the [illegible]" screamed Mrs. Flamingo Longaner; and let me tell you that when Flamingo Longanecker screamed was real screaming. "Dragging the gravels—how did you carry child, wretched being?"

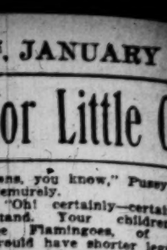
"Why, I j—j—just carried him I used to carry my own babies," pered Pussy Gray, putting the ner of her apron to her eyes. him by his neck, and it was so and twisty-wisty that most dragged on the ground. And ma'am, I don't like nuisance mingoes. And please, ma'am, I to quit."

"Quit you will," shouted Mrs. mingo, "and without a character she flew upstairs to put [illegible] line and poultices on poor mingo's legs. But the dear lady never thought for a moment if she had stayed at home club to look after her long-legged these sad happenings would have been.

Sir Rupert—Pizz Dog

Sir Rupert wore a ribbon bright
About his neck; and so
He walked sedately down the [illegible]
The proudest dog, you know.

He sniffed his nose up in the [illegible]
And tossed his royal head;
He scorned to make acquaintance
The street dog lowly bred.



THE PROUDEST DO

He vowed he'd never eat a bite
Again; it is no good;
Ice cream and tarts and [illegible]
The only proper food.

But soon Sir Rupert dropped his [illegible]
And sickened of the sweet.
Just now he gnaws a mutton bone
With plain dogs on the street.
—[Horace Seymour Ke[illegible]

The Venturesome Mosquitoes

There once lived in New Jersey a very smart little mosquitoes who was tired of the humdrum of [illegible] life and who thought it would be very best fun that ever happened them to start out and visit [illegible] their relatives up in [illegible] during the winter season.

So off they went into the [illegible] ous region, and very soon they [illegible] across any number of the mosquitoes of that section, who [illegible] the greatest pleasure at meeting visitors from the sandy shores [illegible] ey.

The visitors were particularly [illegible] with the character of the [illegible] new country into which they had [illegible] and, being of a venturesome mind, they decided to investigate. Accordingly they struck

STUCK THEIR LONG BILLS [illegible] GROUND

bills into the ground and [illegible] saws that are attached to [illegible] work and were pretty soon [illegible] holes in the earth.

Now, two things are good [illegible] to the wise. One is that [illegible] to mosquitoes, and the [illegible] this particular section [illegible] is famous for its oil.

Well, the mosquitoes had [illegible] very far into the ground when [illegible]ly there spouted up two [illegible] that would have put an end [illegible] of all the mosquitoes in the [illegible] Jersey.

"I'll never leave home again," [illegible] one of the inquisitive boys, "[illegible] over on his back and [illegible] last.

"These are my sentiments," [illegible] other fellow, as he, too, [illegible] and died.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S

These Magazine [illegible] of the National Association [illegible] on Trade-Union Abuses. [illegible] of which Mr. Parry and [illegible] four leading factories [illegible] this country. Every person [illegible] American industrial conditions [illegible] read what Mr. Parry says.

THE TIMES MAGAZINE

contains a comprehensive [illegible] Activity and the life of plants [illegible] vestigation in the life of [illegible]

A BELGIAN boy of 11 [illegible] great attention through the [illegible] wonderful cures he has [illegible] means of spirit agency. The [illegible] tomorrow will contain an [illegible] what a correspondent saw and [illegible] visit to the boy's home.

ARKEY OFF A HIGH HORSE.

Willing to Talk Well of San Francisco.

Club May Match Him With Munroe.

University Knocks Football—Racing.

[illegible] WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
[illegible] FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—[Exclu[illegible]patch.] Tom Sharkey has [illegible] his high horse, and will do [illegible] this city. Today, the follow[illegible] voluntary letter was received [illegible] author:

[illegible] the highest regard for San [illegible] and its people. The sporting [illegible] on the square and always [illegible] well, and it is through no [illegible] spite that I declined to make [illegible] on the Coast. As I felt that [illegible] would not draw on the Coast, [illegible] finally refused to have the bat[illegible] in San Francisco, much pre[illegible] contest with Jeffries on the [illegible] that should I beat Munroe." [illegible] Club has expressed a [illegible] to give the Sharkey-Mun[illegible] its February date.

[illegible] AND HERRERA.

[illegible] ROUNDS AND DRAW.

[illegible] ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
[illegible] KEE, Jan. 22.—Charles [illegible] of Milwaukee and Aurelio Her[illegible] of California fought six rounds [illegible] a draw before the Milwau[illegible] Club. In the first round [illegible] stopped Neary's face with [illegible] jabs and left hooks, draw[illegible] round Neary began strong, [illegible] uppercuts and jabs from [illegible] gave the Mexican a decided [illegible] Herrera began to mix in [illegible] Neary gained the ad[illegible] fighting. In the fourth the [illegible] fought at long range, [illegible] but Herrera maintained [illegible] The fifth and sixth [illegible] rather tame.

[illegible] PUNCHING-BAG."

[illegible] KNOCKED DOWN HIM.

[illegible] ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
[illegible] (Md.) Jan. 22.—Joe [illegible] knocked won the purse [illegible] the Eureka Athletic Club [illegible] last night and $100 [illegible] Gans, who thought he [illegible] the Human Punching [illegible] rounds. Gans weighed [illegible] pounds. Grim seemed to be [illegible] pounds heavier.

[illegible] champion cleverly [illegible] vicious swings of the [illegible] tried to land a telling [illegible] Gans played throughout [illegible] but landed enough right [illegible] blows to have put any [illegible] to sleep in the first [illegible] Grim was so badly cut [illegible] and head that the po[illegible] in the middle of the [illegible]

[illegible] O'KEEFE OUT.

[illegible] TSEY AND RITCHIE.

[illegible] SPECIAL WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
[illegible] DIEGO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive [illegible] It has been practically de[illegible] that Jack O'Keefe, who was [illegible] take Madden's place in the [illegible] with Billy Decoursey is out [illegible] is now are for a bout be[illegible] Decoursey and Johnnie Ritchie, [illegible] San Francisco, who has cha[illegible] across any number of the col[illegible] quitoes of that section, who [illegible] the greatest pleasure at meeting [illegible] visitors from the sandy shores [illegible] ey. Decoursey, [illegible] is here, is in trim and [illegible] for the scrap.

[illegible] LO AT RIVERSIDE.

[illegible] CRACKS THERE.

[illegible] SPECIAL WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
[illegible] RIVERSIDE, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive [illegible] One of the best polo games [illegible] ever took place this after[illegible] on Tequesquite Park. But it was [illegible] a draw. The Riverside Polo Club [illegible] presents three of the best polo [illegible] in this country or England—[illegible] Paul and Frank J. Mackey [illegible] and Charles Garland on [illegible] the two former have been [illegible] for days, and Garland ar[illegible] as special car Sunbeam to[illegible] accompanied by his wife [illegible] party of London and they [illegible] about some time here. [illegible] the game, out of defer[illegible] to visitors' wishes, the ex[illegible] were partners, Capt. [illegible] Mackey, Mr. Garland and [illegible] confronting a different [illegible] players in each period. [illegible] playing of the visitors [illegible] the home players not [illegible] Of course, the con[illegible] of players for the home [illegible] to do with this poor [illegible] trying that fact aside, it [illegible] that the foreign [illegible] master hands in handling [illegible] and a pretty and decidedly [illegible] from start to finish [illegible] was just cool enough to [illegible] and ponies on their [illegible] of tourists were in the [illegible] after the game came the

social function in the spacious clubhouse, where tea was served. Miss Frost presiding as hostess. This was largely attended by members of the club and invited guests.

REFEREE'S DECISION TANGLED.

FAVORS NEIL OVER WILLIAMS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 22.—The best and fastest fight ever seen in the West was marred tonight by the tangled decision of Referee James McDevitt of San Francisco. Al Neil of San Francisco and "Kid" Williams of Stockton put up a hurricane fight for eleven rounds before the new San Joaquin Club, and for about seven rounds it was give and take, but Neil finally floored the "Kid" and had him going. Suddenly Williams cut in and all but put Neil away.

For two rounds it looked as if it was a case of which would fall to the floor first, they fought so fast and were so groggy. In the tenth, the bell saved Williams, and he was in bad shape when he toed the mark in the eleventh. Neil knocked him down, and the police stopped the event. McDevitt declared it no contest, but later, under pressure, gave Neil the decision. All bets are hung up, and there is no end of controversy.

Races at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—Selling, six furlongs: Preakness won, Ralph Young second, Ida Pensance third; time 1:17.

Six furlongs: Hymettus won, Four Leaf C. second; Mrs. Frank Foster third; time 1:17.

One mile and a sixteenth: Custus won, Lampoon second, Erbe third; time 1:53.

Handicap, seven furlongs: Lou Kersey won, Caterpillar second, Dr. Stevens third; time 1:30 1-5.

One mile: Little Scout won, Payne second, Bessie McCarthy third; time 1:42.

One mile and twenty yards, selling: Rachel Ward won, Ora McKinney second, Second Sight third; time 1:46 3-5.

Shea Signs With St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Jan. 22.—Dan Shea, who played shortstop last year with San Francisco, will play the same position next season in the St. Louis National League Club. The contract was signed here today.

Lawrence Abolishes Football.

APPLETON (Wis.) Jan. 22.—President Plantze of Lawrence University said today that there would be no more Thanksgiving football for that institution.

Jenkins at Bellingham.

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Jan. 22.—Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, world's champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler, who is to meet Frank Gotch of Humboldt, Iowa, here January 27, arrived today.

TRACK ATHLETICS.

POMONA COLLEGE ACTIVITY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

CLAREMONT, Jan. 22.—Track athletics are booming. A week from tomorrow five classes, eager for victory, will clash in battle on the college oval. This interclass field day is the center of athletic interest; teams have entered from all the classes, and one from the preparatory school. From twenty to thirty men are on the track every night doing strenuous work. In the sprints, Hendrickson and Cadwallader are the speediest. Hendrickson has a record of 10 2-5 seconds for the 100-yard dash, which he is expected to bring down to 10 seconds flat, before the season closes.

In the weights are several promising candidates. McCormick, Neill, Kepner and Metcalfe are throwing the 16-pound shot over 100 feet and McCormick, Pomona's crack punter and goal kicker, is expected to reach the 120-foot limit before long. M. Davenport, who for two years has won first place for the college in the 16-pound shot put, at intercollegiate meets, has a record of 36 feet 2 inches, and with Hempel's aid it is fully believed he will twirl the ball to the 38-foot mark this year. Davenport's shot putting is phenomenal, considering his age and weight. He is 18 years old and weighs but 146 pounds.

L. W. Voorhees, Pomona's sure first-place man, is in his old form for the mile run. His record of 4 minutes 50 seconds, places him beyond the reach of any man in Southern California. George N. Weaver of Glendora is doing fine work as a second with Voorhees. Ralph C. Noble, captain of the college track team, and a tiptop all-around athlete, is doing elegant work on the hurdles and pole vault. Noble and Roy C. Davis are vaulting in fine form, and are going to make new records for themselves. Coach Hempel is teaching them a new form, by which he expects to put both men over eleven feet in the high jump. Hal Thomas, the one-armed hero of last year, is in good form and jumping high. Ed Bishop is training with Thomas in the high jump and which is the better of the two is yet to be decided.

Broad jump is easily held by George E. Hume, who is expected to clear the 22-foot mark in the coming field day. Winners of the various events in the local meet will represent the college in the intercollegiate field day with Occidental College March 14.

INTERSCHOLASTIC.

ATHLETIC EVENTS.

ONTARIO, Jan. 22.—The Board of Managers of the Interscholastic League of Southern California met at the High School today to arrange for track and baseball events. The annual track meet will be held at Riverside February 27. The first baseball game will be April 2 between Ontario and Pomona. The High School basketball teams will play the Sherman Institute team at Riverside.

Ontario experienced a sad loss in the death of Judge Hardy. The judge was an old and influential citizen of the Model Colony, widely known and respected.

LABOR WINS AT LONG ODDS.

Captures Another Race as an Outsider.

Baldwin's Crack Cruzados Gets a Second Victory.

Fine Card is Offered Sports This Afternoon.

Picking the first prize in the lottery is about as easy as trying to sort 'em out of a card like yesterday's at Ascot Park, whereon mediums, favorites and long shots were sandwiched into the bill of fare in an astonishing way. It was just exactly like the "meals" they give away at the saloons on Sunday to get around the Sunday closing ordinance—the more you took of it the worse you felt. As a result few of the sports carried away any great amount of bookmakers' money, for what they picked up on one race they dropped like a hot cake on the next one.

The day was a beautiful one for racing and a big crowd watched the efforts of the beasts as they flew about around the track. The card was a fairly good one, and provided plenty of excitement for the spectators, for with one exception the finishes were close. Long shots divided the first and last races and favorites and medium-priced ones were in and out on the others.

LABOR DIGNIFIES HIMSELF.

If there was any particular feature of the card it was the last race, which went to that strange beast Labor, 20 to 1, who was shooed in by Invictus at 30 to 1. The dope shows that he would rather win at 20 to 1 than any other old price, and whenever he is at that price the sports might do well to get down on him hard. Since the meeting began on December 24 he has started seven times. On that day he ran second to San Lution at 5 to 1 and a week later he won at 8 to 5. January 4 he ran fourth at 7 to 1 and January 8 he finished sixth at 8 to 1. Then, on January 15, one week ago, he won at 20 to 1 and three days later ran fourth at 60 to 1. Yesterday he came back and won again at 20 to 1. From this one should imagine that he is either very much underrated or is dropped in a soft spot at a long price for a killing.

The last race apparently just came right for him yesterday, for he was off in seventh place and ran that way for half a mile. Then at the turn he moved up to fourth place, then was second in the stretch and finally won in a driving finish by half a length. For some reason Lunar was made the favorite, but she had no more chance than a snake, going away last and ending in the ruck without a bit of speed at any stage of the distance. Invictus, like Labor, came from the back, ran over his field from the last turn and in another jump would have slammed Labor out of its rights. El Orlente looked all over a winner from the half mile pole to the stretch, but faded away. The strongly-played Pilot was prominent into the stretch, also, but blew up.

The first race went to Gottleiben at 6 to 1, and she simply ran off from the twelve behind her, making every post a winning one from the time the barrier flew up. Every one in it got a little play. There never was a favorite, for eight horses of the thirteen opened at 6 to 1 and six closed at that low price. Negrusca was second all the way.

FAVORITES WIN TWO.

Barney Schreiber added another little purse or money to his sack by winning the second race with Geheimness at 7 to 10. He got away in very bad shape next to last, but at once ran to third place and then pasted Effervescence and Mexicanna in the stretch by a hard drive and beat the former for first money.

The third event went to the strongly-played Blue Ridge, who managed very gamely to beat the 7-to-1 shot Emir a neck in a close finish. The first favorite, Rio Chico, was a length away after running second to the stretch. This was another case of pay your money and write your own ticket.

Cruzados from the Baldwin ranch annexed the fourth after being in front all the way after the start. The lightweighted Sais gave him a hard race in the stretch and would have won in a little longer distance. Paul Whaley had a strong play, but was off badly and met with interference.

LUCKY FOX LAKE.

Fox Lake finally won in the fifth, after having all the luck in the race. He was away nicely and was sent along by E. Walsh in hurry-up fashion. Laocoon, the best horse in the bunch, was slow to start and then had so much interference in the run around that he could not catch the leader. Lady Fonse was the last to start, and showed her condition by running over everything except the leaders, which she could not catch. She doubtless would have beaten both in another hundred feet.

TODAY'S RACES.

The card for today, which is an extra good one, should furnish all the sport that anyone might want in one day. There is a two-year-old race with five of the best babies at the track in it; a mile and a quarter hurdle and the Coronado Beach selling handicap at a mile and a sixteenth. The card speaks for itself and is as follows:

First race, Sinauon course, selling: 5728 *Rosebud, 100; 5780 *Landseer, 102; (5734) *Galanthus, 102; (5793) *MacAna, 102; 5807 *Hilary, 102; 5794 Nina B. L., 105; 5819 Fustian, 107; (5771) Beautiful and Best, 103; 5295 Cannell, 109; 5668 Frank McKee, 110; 5666 Redan, 113.

Second race, three and a half furlongs, purse: 5757 Woodclaim, 104; (5825) Pinkerton, 113; (5733) Airship, 105; 5757 **Peggy Mine, 113; (5757) **Lady Lasca, 117.

**Durnell entry.

Third race, one and a quarter miles, handicap, hurdle: 5806 Heir Apparent, 128; 5818 Terra Incognita, 138; 5482 Phil Archibald, 128; 5806 Ceylon, 140; (5806) Cambaceres, 148; 5806 Fooriands, 175.

Fourth race, one a sixteenth miles, Coronado Beach Selling Stakes, $1250 added: (5808) Elwood, 83; (5772) *The Goldfinder, 96; 5722 *Orsina, 95; 5451 *Eva G., 96; 5783 Dupont, 95; (5735) *Haviland, 97; (5797) Greenock, 106.

Fifth race, one and one-eighth miles, selling: 5773 *Portunatus, 99; 5783 Dupont, 100; 5761 *Dr. Bernays, 100; 5795 *C. B. Campbell, 103; (5773) *The Goldfinder, 104; 3514 John McGirk, 107.

Sixth race, seven furlongs, selling; four-year-olds and upward: 5804 *Jingler, 102; 5617 Iras, 103; 5804 *Legal Maxim, 103; 5807 Louweless, 105; (5796) *Dollie Wiethoff, 105; 5773 *Ballie Goodwin, 106; 5792 Egg Nogg, 107; 5796 The Covenanter, 107; 5307 *Brown Prince, 107; 5794 Valmar, 114; (5735) Buccleuth, 122; (5804) Tax Man, 115.

*Apprentice allowance.

INSIDE HISTORY OF ASCOT DEAL.

REASONS WHY GEORGE ROSE TOOK SUCH A BIG SLICE.

Fitzgerald, Black & Co., Geo. Rose and J. W. Brooks Are Now Masters of the Situation — Williams's Deep Scheme, and Why it Didn't Work.

Beneath the reported sale of the stock of the late John A. Muir and W. G. Kerckhoff in Ascot Park to bookmakers Fitzgerald, Black & Co. and George Rose lies a tale of baffled ambitions upon the part of Thomas H. Williams, president of the New California Jockey Club.

Several days ago Mr. Williams and Col. Adam Andrew of the organization which controls racing about San Francisco Bay were here "looking the local field over." They were trying to buy certain stock in Ascot Park which was for sale, according to a straight tip handed out in inner circles at the time, but they failed, and of that failure quite a tale may be told.

George Rose, the heaviest operator at Ascot Park, controlled the field book privileges at Oakland last year and made $111,000 out of them. He wanted the privileges again this year but Williams gave them to John Condon, owner of the Harlem track in Chicago. Rose became sore, and that is the principal reason why he is now booking at Ascot Park instead of around San Francisco. But that revenge was not enough to suit him; he wanted more and got it by checkmating a choice scheme of Williams to put the local track out of business. The Northern turf magnate is nothing if not crafty: it was his ambition to secure a controlling interest in Ascot Park, and then stop local racing altogether. As is well known in local racing circles, Williams has in the past expended money lavishly to prevent competition in Los Angeles. His threats to "outlaw" Ascot Park were met, it is said, with a straight tip from headquarters in New York that he keep his hands off the Los Angeles Racing Association, and the information that the stock of W. G. Kerckhoff and the late J. A. Muir was for sale is believed to have suggested another line of action for him. A part of this latter scheme would of course be the overthrow of James W. Brooks as manager.

Partly through a desire to get even with Williams, partly on account of his faith in the local track as a business proposition, George Rose was glad to accept a chance to become a stockholder, and the local bookmaking firm, Fitzgerald, Black & Co., was quite willing to take a big slice also. It may now be said that Brooks, who represents other interests than his own, and the gentlemen named, control Ascot Park.

Had Williams's scheme gone through there is every reason to believe that the prevalent rumors that Ascot Park would close February 1 would have been verified in fact. At the least, his presence would have introduced an element of discord into the directorate that would have been inimical to the track's best interests.

While the amount of the holdings of Rose and Fitzgerald, Black & Co. was given out yesterday as $60,000, it is understood they are interested for a much larger sum. Both have been represented in the directorate, George Rose and T. F. Fitzgerald having been placed upon the board.

WILLIAMS'S SCHEME.

The scheme of Tom Williams undoubtedly was to get control of most of the stock of Ascot and close the track, merely paying the Huntington people the interest on the money tied up in the plant. This would cost about $30,000 a year, as a racing authority estimated last night, but Williams evidently thought he could afford such an outlay to have Los Angeles killed as a winter racing center. It is doubtful if he really would have secured much of a return in a direct way for the class of winter tourists that are attending the races here would not go to San Francisco for that sport alone if racing was stopped here. There is no doubt about the fact that he did try to buy a controlling interest in the stock while he was here. What he wanted was the "railroad interest," meaning that allied with the Los Angeles Railway Company. It is stated that Mr. Huntington was unwilling to have this go to Williams if he intended to close down racing here.

Just what amount of stock was purchased yesterday is not known, but it is admitted that a controlling interest has passed. George Rose and Thomas Fitzgerald have secured the Muir holdings and the $60,000 worth of "loose" stock which was not put upon the market. This is in addition to the good-sized block that Fitzgerald originally bought. All this would not be a controlling interest, but Rose and Fitzgerald have secured an option on the "railroad stock," and yesterday paid a deposit on this and they expect to pay the balance of the money in the next three months. That gives them the control, and under the circumstances Williams could not possibly secure it.

NO CHANGES CONTEMPLATED.

It can safely be stated that there will be no change in the management of the affairs of the racing plant. Epes Randolph will continue as president and Cy Myrick of the firm of Fitzgerald & Black will be the treasurer, a position made vacant by the death of J. A. Muir. At the meeting of the directors yesterday morning George Rose was elected a director in place of J. A. Muir, deceased, and T. F. Fitzgerald was elected a director to succeed W. G. Kerckhoff, who has resigned. Manager Brooks is a personal friend of both Rose and Fitzgerald, and his interests will not be jeopardized by the new ownership. Various improvements will be made at the track as they suggest themselves to the new owners.

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

THE OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

ASCOT PARK, Friday, January 22, 1904. Twenty-sixth day. Weather fine. Track good. A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. J. Hosman, starter.

5816 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Three-year-old maidens. Value to first, $250.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5809	Gottleiben (J. M. Cooper)	110	1	.....	1 1	1 1½	1 1	1 2	Waterbury	6	8
(5734)	Negrusca (E. J. Baldwin)	110	2	.....	2 2	2 2	2 2	2 1½	Bullman	10	20
5654	Rosserie (J. Curl)	110	6	.....	4 ½	3 1	3 1	3 3	J. Reed	6	10
5668	Fina (V. Gilbert)	107	5	.....	3 1	4 1	4 ½	4 1	J. Reed	6	10
(5733)	Paul Whaley, 4 (Wood)	110	4	.....	5 ½	5 ½	5 ½	5 ½	W. Adams	10	20
5800	Aamansor (D. Winston)	107	10	.....	10	6 1	6 ½	6 ½	Buxton	6	8
5494	L. Phillips (Fitzpatrick)	110	7	.....	9	7 1	7 ½	7 ½	Fitzpatrick	6	10
5747	Tramposter (H. T. Childs)	102	8	.....	6 1	9 1	8 ½	8 ½	E. Walsh	6	8
.....	Gentle Harry (Fields & Co.)	110	3	.....	7 ½	8 ½	9	9	E. Wilson	10	20
5[illegible]	Ida D. (Owl Stable)	104	9	.....	8 ½	10	10	10	H. Wilson	10	20
5[illegible]	Jerry Finnigan (Johnson & Co.)	110	11	.....	11	11	11	11	[illegible]	10	20
5[illegible]	Carnival (Johnson & Co.)	110	12	.....	12	12	12	12	Mountain	15	30
5713	Turia (C. E. Durnell)	105	13	.....	13	13	13	13	Rescora	6	8

At post 2 min. Off at 1:31. Time—0:23½, 0:48½, 1:18½.
Gottleiben place 1, show 1. Negrusca place 1, show 4. Rosserie show 5.
Winner ch. f. by Rubicon-Scrapegrace. Trained by J. M. Cooper.
Scratched—Geo. Koester, Fonsasta.
Start good. Won handily. Next three driving hard.
Gottleiben had the speed and set the pace, was stopping some at the end. Negrusca ran smashing race. Rosserie ran a clever race. Fina ran a fair race.

5817 SECOND RACE—Sinauon course. Selling. Fillies and maidens. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $255.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
(5758)	Geheimness, 4 (Schreiber)	109	7	.....	4 1	2 1½	2 1½	1 ½	E. Walsh	4-5	1-2
5480	Effervescence, 3 (Coffey)	94	4	.....	2 1	1 1	1 1	2 3	Knapp	4	8
5758	Lhia, 4 (J. Kane)	101	6	.....	3 1	3 1½	3 1½	3 ½	Lawrence	15	30
5748	Maxi sana, 4 (T. Burns)	114	3	.....	7 1	5 1½	4 1½	4 3	Redfern	8	8
5758	Mexicanna, 4 (Morton)	109	5	.....	5 1	4 1	5 1	5 1½	W. Booker	15	40
5748	Cliche dor, 4 (Conrad)	114	1	.....	1 1	6 1	6 1	6 1½	W. Adams	6	10
5[illegible]	Piquet, 3 (J. Dale)	94	8	.....	6 1	7 1	7 1	7 1	Feicht	6	20
5[illegible]	Louie Christian, 3 (Bradley)	89	2	.....	8 ½	8 1	8 1	8 1	Anderson	15	30

At post 1 min. Off at 2:02. Time—0:23½, 0:47½, 1:11.
Geheimness place 1-3, out show; Effervescence place 2-3, show 1-5; Phyx show 15.
Winner b. m. by Gamester—Trained by R. D. Williams.
Scratched—Annie Mahling, Annie Arnett, N. non.
Start good. Won first and driving to the limit.
Geheimness was best. Effery seemed has a need, but hung badly at the finish. Mexicanna stopped badly last furlong. Louie Christian faded away last quarter. Agnes Mack ran a fair race.

5818 THIRD RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $275.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5756	Blue Ridge, 5 (Robertson)	110	3	.....	4 ½	2 1	1 1	1 ½	Feicht	3	5
5[illegible]	Emir, 4 (J. Carroll)	110	4	.....	7 1	7 1	5 1	2 ½	E. Walsh	3	5
550	Rio Chico, 4 (A. Harris)	110	6	.....	5 1	4 1	2 1	3 1½	Fitzpatrick	6	10
5[illegible]	All About, 5 (Sanford)	94	1	.....	1 ½	1 ½	3 1	4 1	Anderson	15	30
5[illegible]	Lucian, 4 (C. Holcomb)	110	2	.....	2 ½	3 ½	4 1	5 1	Foley	6	10
5[illegible]	Autumn Time, 5 (J. Bliss)	110	5	.....	3 ½	5 1	6 1	6 1½	Wilkins	4	10
5[illegible]	Fing, 4 (Hegarty & Co.)	104	8	.....	6 1	6 1	7 1	7 1	Fowler	15	30
5[illegible]	Nat Goodwin, 5 (Robbins)	110	7	.....	8	8	8	8	Buxton	15	30
5[illegible]	Tom Sharpe, 4 (Cockrell)	110	9	.....	9	9	9	9	Fauver	15	30
5677	Castaki, 4 [illegible]	105	11	.....	11	11	10	10	L. Woods	15	30
5797	Hub Prather, 4 (Cooper)	110	10	.....	10	10	11	11	Fitzpatrick	6	10
5[illegible]	Uppercut, 4 (F. T. Wood)	102	12	.....	12	12	12	12	P. Hilliard	6	10

At post ½ min. Off at 2:[illegible] Time—0:24½, 0:50½, 1:17, 1:43.
Labor place 7, show 2; Invictus place 10, show 4; Pearose show 5-5.
Winner ch. g. by Montana-The Tyck. Trained by W. Christian.
Scratched—Angio Jay, Dr. Barry.
Start good. Won first two driving. Third handily.
El Orlente and Pilot killed each other off the first six furlongs. Race was run just to suit Labor. Perrose was crowded badly near the finish. Lunar ran a very bad race. Had no speed at any stage.

5819 FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
(5[illegible])	Crusados, 4 (E. J. Baldwin)	112	3	.....	1 ½	1 ½	1 ½	1 ½	J. Boland	3-5	1-2
(5734)	Sais, 5 (J. Bliss)	110	4	.....	2 ½	2 ½	2 ½	2 ½	Booker	3	5
5[illegible]	Dollie Hayman, 4 (M. Lemore)	107	5	.....	3 ½	3 ½	3 ½	3 ½	Goldsby	6	10
(5[illegible])	Paul Whaley, 4 (Wood)	110	1	.....	4 ½	4 ½	4 ½	4 ½	F. Hilliard	3	5
5760	Glenevis, 4 (W. Durner)	110	2	.....	5 ½	5 ½	5 ½	5 ½	W. Adams	6	10
.....	Wilkins, 4 (Anderson)	104	6	.....	6 ½	6 ½	6 ½	6 ½	Welch	6	10
(5628)	Eldn King, 4 (P. Dunne)	103	7	.....	7 ½	7 ½	7 ½	7 ½	Bullman	10	20
(5[illegible])	Pat Bulger, 3 (L. A. Stable)	98	8	.....	8	8	8	8	E. Walsh	6	10

At post 2½ min. Off at 3:41½. Time—0:24, 0:49, 1:15.
Crusados place 1, show 1-2; Sais place 4, show 2-3; Hayman show 1-2.
Winner b. h. by Emperor of Norfolk-Atlanta II. Trained by L. Tucker.
Start good. Won first two driving hard.
Crusados got away flying. Ran away from his field from the jump, but was stopped handy at the finish. Booker on Sais rode a nice race, saving a world of ground. Would have beaten the winner in another strize. Lolly Hot with lots of interference. With good racing luck, she would have won. Whaling rode a very bad ride. Threw his race out, tossed and lots of bad racing luck. This is not his race. King early speed, faded away. Bulger and Fustian do not belong with this kind.

5820 FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds. Value to first, $325.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5780	Fox Lake (J. M. Cooper)	98	3	.....	3 ½	3 ½	3 ½	1 ½	E. Walsh	3-5	1-2
5[illegible]	Laocoon (Mrs. Coff y)	113	1	.....	1 ½	1 ½	1 ½	2 ½	Buxton	6	10
5[illegible]	Lady Fonse (G. Lasky)	98	4	.....	4 ½	4 ½	4 ½	3 ½	Anderson	4	8
5[illegible]	Cruzados (Johnson & Co.)	98	2	.....	2 ½	2 ½	2 ½	4 ½	Johnson	15	30
5[illegible]	Eusebia B. (R. Schreiber)	98	5	.....	5 ½	5 ½	5 ½	5 ½	W. Booker	15	30
57[illegible]	Wilkerson (Bullman & Co.)	98	6	.....	6 ½	6 ½	6 ½	6 ½	Redfern	15	30
5764	El Cortesa (E. J. Baldwin)	102	1	.....	7 ½	7 ½	7 ½	7 ½	Knapp	4	10

At post ½ min. Off at 2:24½. Time—0:23½, 0:49, 1:16, 1:29½.
Lake place 2-3, show 7-10; Laocoon place 1-3, show 7-10; Fonse show 4.
Winner b. c. by Water Lord-Vigilette. Trained by J. M. Cooper.
Start good. Won ridden out. Next four driving hard.
Fox Lake had the speed to set the pace, and just lasted. Laocoon was interfered with all through the stretch; was probably beat. Lady Fonse was crowded out at the start. Showed very strong. Columbia Girl ran awful race. Eugenia went the overland. Sutro was shoved first part.

5821 SIXTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5[illegible]	Labor, 4 (D. Rogers)	101	7	.....	7 ½	7 ½	7 ½	1 ½	J. Booker	15	30
5[illegible]	Invictus, 4 (Mr. Gabriel)	111	1	.....	1 ½	1 ½	1 ½	2 ½	Anderson	30	50
5[illegible]	Mont na Pearse, 5 (Co.)	111	2	.....	2 ½	2 ½	2 ½	3 ½	Buxton	4	8
5[illegible]	El Orlente, 4 (W. J. Spicer)	114	3	.....	3 ½	3 ½	3 ½	4 ½	Wilkins	4	8
(5[illegible])	Lunar, 4 (Mr. Lemore)	101	4	.....	4 ½	4 ½	4 ½	5 ½	Feicht	3	5
5[illegible]	Merwan, 4 (De Armon)	102	5	.....	5 ½	5

MORE GRAFT AT RIVERSIDE.

J. W. Carroll Arrested on Two Indictments.

Rake-offs Exposed by Grand Jury Inquisition.

Theater Owners Condemned for Evading the Law.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 22.—The Riverside grand jury seems to have struck a "pay streak" in its investigations, and some of the faithful are wondering just where the lead will terminate.

Late this afternoon the grand jury turned in two indictments. They are both against John W. Carroll, who has been superintending the construction of the new courthouse at a salary of $200 per month. One was for the alleged misappropriation of $45 and the other for $60. Both amounts were rake-offs pure and simple, one being on county hospital work and the other in repaving the West Riverside bridge. In both instances Carroll had charge of the work and drew down from the county these amounts over and above what should have been paid out. Carroll was at once placed under arrest and was taken before Justice Hibbard, where he gave bonds in the sum of $1000 on each indictment, for his appearance in the Superior Court. A. L. Woodill and James McDougall are his sureties. The grand jury will remain in session all day Saturday, an unusual procedure, for heretofore the body has adjourned from Friday evening until Monday morning. This is thought by the knowing ones to mean that some urgent business keeps them over and that some other indictments may be expected.

On the streets it is rumored that a certain Supervisor will be the next victim. The nature of the compain against him cannot be definitely ascertained, but it is supposed to be in connection with the courthouse site. For some time the jury has been trying to ascertain what became of a certain $500 Pliny T. Evans, the former owner of the lot, paid out on August 2, 1903. The fact that on the same day this Supervisor deposited a like amount to his credit on a note held by the Orange Growers' National Bank, is regarded as significant. The supervisor has been questioned and cross-questioned; Evans has been in the sweat-box with his books and papers on several occasions, and the wise ones declare that the jury had a sure case against the Supervisor.

Aroused by the Iroquois Theater disaster, the grand jury has been looking over local places of assemblage, and as a result has formulated a series of recommendations. The appointment of a building inspector is suggested, who shall periodically inspect all buildings used for public purposes.

The Loring Theater Management is condemned for not providing satisfactory exits, and for not taking proper precautions against fire.

FINANCING HIGH IN SAN DIEGO.

CONSOLIDATION OF CHENEY INTERESTS LIKELY.

Re-establishment of Sweetwater Reservoir and Electrizing of the National City and Otay Railroad Among the Items—Commander Booth-Tucker's Quiet Visit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is announced that Homer H. Peters has undertaken the financing, under a consolidation plan, of the Cheney interests in this city, National City, Chula Vista and throughout the county. The enterprise contemplates the reëstablishment of the Sweetwater reservoir, affording ample water for irrigation and domestic purposes and the electrizing of the National City and Otay Railroad.

The property includes the Sweetwater system, the National City and Otay Railroad; 30,000 acres, including 1500 in orchards, 2200 lots in San Diego and 3700 in National City, besides the acid factory at National and various other properties, both real and personal. For a considerable period B. P. Cheney, the Boston millionaire, has been the sole owner of the San Diego Land and Town Company, and its allied companies.

In the district is included the lemon belt, which has suffered through lack of water. One rumor is that Mr. Peters has bought the Cheney holdings for $200,000 and another is that he has an option, with prospective eastern capitalists as owners.

BOOTH-TUCKER IN TOWN.

Commander Booth-Tucker, head of the Salvation Army in America, is here, accompanied by several members of his staff. He is without uniform. He registered as F. Tucker, hoping that his presence in town would escape notice. He wishes to establish a branch of his colonization scheme here and to erect a Salvation Army building and a home for aged Salvation Army workers. He has visited Lakeside and a number of the suburban centers.

CORONADO BEACH.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Jan. 22.—Arrivals yesterday at the hotel included: Mrs. C. I. Hagler of Los Angeles; Miss Duffy, Miss Constance Duffy, Rochester, N. Y.; Dr. F. Hatton, Victoria, B. C.; F. A. Yandoff, Mr. and Mrs. John Read, Harold W. Read, Boston; Joseph S. Martin, Frank Crane and wife, Waterson, S. D.; H. E. Cronet and wife, Buffalo; Mrs. C. M. Rice, Louisville; Edwin J. Sullivan, Portland; Edward Hardin, J. A. Griswold, Alaska; W. J. B. Pinder, Dawson; Mrs. E. W. Hopkins, Providence.

Mrs. W. H. Howard entertained at tea yesterday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. William Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar T. Sewall, San Francisco; Miss Gittings, Baltimore, and others.

Mrs. Rennie P. Schwerin entertained a party of fifteen ladies at tea yesterday afternoon, the guests assembling on the ocean-front glass-enclosed veranda.

FREDERIC J. HASKIN'S letter from Panama in The Times Magazine tomorrow will give valuable information in regard to the prospects for American enterprise in Panama.

FLOODS.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

walked ashore at various points today to get supplies.

IN WESTERN NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BUFFALO, Jan. 22.—Within the past forty-eight hours Western New York has been subjected to meteorological conditions such as have not prevailed here in a score of years.

With a continuous fall of rain for nearly twenty-four hours, the immense quantity of snow throughout the western part of the State was rapidly turned into water, which soon tonight sent the rivers swirling out of bounds, flooding great areas. In northern New York and in places in Canada where the temperature was lower, the rain turned into sleet and snow, prostrating telegraph and telephone lines and demoralizing railroad traffic. Trains on the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific are reported at from twelve to twenty-four hours late.

HOOSIERDOM AFLOAT.

HOUSEBOAT OCCUPANTS LOST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. Jan. 22.—The ice in White river carried off a houseboat occupied by John Schowe and wife and battered it to pieces. Mrs. Schowe was drowned, and her body carried down the river. Schowe was thrown into the water when the houseboat went to pieces and caught hold of bushes on a submerged island in the middle of the river opposite the lower part of the city.

In answer to his cries for help, Rollo Morrison started for the island through the ice with a boat. After an hour he reached him but Schowe, crazed by the cold, fought him off. Morrison finally overpowered Schowe, tied him in the boat and started for shore. The crushing ice and struggles of the man threw Morrison out, and the boat went down the river with Schowe tied to the bottom. Morrison was later rescued.

PEOPLE MOVE AT PERU.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PERU, Jan. 22.—Many families have moved out of their homes or vacated the first floors, owing to the high water and ice in the Wabash river, which rose two feet during the night and is still rising. The record for twenty years is broken. The Howe factory has closed and 600 employes are idle. Railway traffic is interrupted, tracks for many miles being under water.

EEL AND WABASH VICTIMS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LOGANSPORT, Jan. 22.—The Eel and Wabash rivers have overflowed their banks and much property in this city and county has been destroyed. Whole sections of Logansport have been flooded, and many homes have been abandoned. The water is still rising, and rain is still falling. At the village of Georgetown, residents were rescued by boats. At Adamsboro, a dam was swept away and much property destroyed.

WABASH FACTORIES CLOSED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WABASH, Jan. 22.—The Wabash River has risen two feet since midnight, covering the lowlands of the city and closing three factories. Traction traffic has ceased. The high-water record for many years is broken.

IN AND ABOUT CHICAGO.

RIVERS AND CREEKS OVERFLOW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Floods in and about Chicago, due to the thaw and rain, are causing some loss of property and much inconvenience. The Desplaines, Fox and Calumet rivers are swollen and many of the smaller creeks flowing into these streams are choked with ice, resulting in the inundation of surrounding lowlands. Sections of South Chicago, Burnside and Grand Crossing are under water.

The steamer Iowa of the Goodrich Line, was released from the ice pack near Chicago today and proceeded toward Milwaukee. The steamer had been icebound since Wednesday evening.

MILWAUKEE'S BLOCKADE ENDS.

ICE FIELD BLOWN OFFSHORE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Jan. 22.—The ice field which blocked navigation on the west shore of Lake Michigan for the past forty-eight hours was driven out in the lake tonight by a shifting of the wind, and all vessels which were locked in the blockade between Milwaukee and Kenosha, have been released.

OHIO'S STORM WATERS.

GORGE BREAKS AT CLEVELAND.

CLEVELAND (O.) Jan. 22.—The flood situation at Cleveland and vicinity is brighter at midnight Friday, because of a fall in the temperature, which will lessen the probability of a dangerous gorge about ten miles up the Cuyahoga River and letting loose a great mass of water held in check by it. The Cuyahoga River is flowing about fifteen miles an hour, and is slightly lower than during the day.

The three great lake vessels that broke loose from their moorings today are still wedged tightly together, and there is no possibility of them breaking away or of them being moved until the flood of water has ceased running out into the lake. The entire loss in Cleveland is estimated at $500,000.

SCIOTO PASSES DANGER LINE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Jan. 22.—The Scioto River had passed the danger line, and now stands at 17½ feet. The lowlands have been inundated, and the levees are being closely watched to prevent the entire West Side from being flooded. No damage has as yet resulted from the ice gorge going out of the river.

BREAK-UP IN OHIO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CINCINNATI, Jan. 22.—The breakup of the ice gorge in the Ohio River at this point has been accomplished with comaparatively small loss. So far, barges are being crushed and a few others torn from their moorings. This escape from heavy damage is largely due to the fortunate breaking of the gorge below the city first and to the checking of the ice above the city, so that it did not really become entirely free until late in the night.

MANY FACTORIES CLOSED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

AKRON, Jan. 22.—Between here and Cleveland the tracks of the Cleveland branch of the Baltimore and Ohio are under a foot of water and many factories have been forced to close.

ROSEVILLE AND CROOKSVILLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ZANESVILLE, Jan. 22.—The Licking and Muskingum Rivers are rising rapidly. Roseville and Crooksville, in the southern part of the county, are partially submerged.

GREAT LOSS AT LORAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LORAIN, Jan. 22.—Great loss has been caused here by heavy rains. Two large steamers broke from their moorings today and now lie at the mouth of the river in a dangerous position. The Nickel Plate railroad bridge has been washed away and all traffic on the road is blocked. The shipyards of the American Shipbuilding Company are under water. Many small vesses have been wrecked. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will be a heavy loser. Immense piles of timber are going down the river with the rush of ice.

INUNDATION AT PIQUA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PIQUA, Jan. 22.—The Miami River rose three and a half feet during the night, and that section of the city known as Roseville is completely inundated. Hundreds of families have been driven from their homes.

MIAMI VALLEY INUNDATED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DAYTON, Jan. 22.—Wide sections of the Miami Valley south of Dayton are inundated. Traction traffic between Dayton and Cincinnati has been suspended owing to damage to trestle work south of Franklin. The immense gorge north of Dayton broke away in time to prevent the flooding of the city. The Miami River is still rising, but unless heavy rains should continue, no serious results are now anticipated in this immediate vicinity. Trains are delayed because of damaged roadbeds.

CANADIAN TRAINS SNOWBOUND.

CHICAGO EXPRESS AT TORONTO

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TORONTO (Ont.) Jan. 22.—Snow, sleet and rain have completely demoralized railroad traffic all over the province. The Chicago express arrived today after spending fifteen hours in a snowbank near St. Marys. No freight trains are moving, and some of the passenger trains are cancelled. The Grand Trunk Railway's Montreal express is snowbound near Gananoque.

MORE RHODES' SCHOLARSHIPS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—As a result of Dr. R. G. Parkyn's tour of South Africa, New Zealand and Australia, where he has been distributing Rhodes scholarships, seventy-five students will be in residence at Oxford next year, says a Times dispatch from London. The work of distributing the scholarships will be practically completed by 1906, when the number of students will be increased to 175. They will hail from the countries already mentioned and from the United States, Canada and Germany.

EXPLOSION FATAL TO MINERS.

BUTTE (Mont.) Jan. 22.—Michael Sullivan was killed and Patrick Harrington was probably fatally injured by an explosion in the Never Sweat mine last night. The miners had prepared a blast early in the evening, which failed to explode, and it is thought they afterward drilled into the "missed hole," thereby causing the accident.

Slight Misunderstanding.

Kind lady: I'm sorry, but I have nothing but a piece of cold mince pie to give you.

Happy Hank: 'Scuse me, lady, but youse evidently misunderstood me. I don't want no work: I want sumthin' ter eat. See?—[Chicago News.

The Delicate Method.

"Let us talk about something we don't know anything about," he suggested.

"Such as what?" she asked.

"Marriage," he replied, after which they went into executive session.—[Chicago Post.

FREDERIC J. HASKIN'S letter from Panama in The Times Magazine tomorrow will give valuable information in regard to the prospects for American enterprise in Panama.

MAY REORGANIZE.

Schwab and His Associates Have Plan to Yet Make it Plain Sailing for Defunct Shipbuilding Company. The Only Obstacle.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—A local financial agency today issued the following statement:

"Charles M. Schwab and his associates have reached an agreement with the members of the Sheldon Syndicate and the Commonwealth Trust Company for the reorganization of the United States Shipbuilding Company, and if the Bondholders' Protective Committee agrees the plans will be assented to by Receiver Smith. The new company will have about $30,000,000 capitalization, all the stock being equally divided between common and preferred.

"For his $30,000,000 of shipbuilding securities—$10,000,000 in bonds and $20,000,00 in stocks—Schwab will get $15,000,000 stock of the new company, while the other interests will divide the remainder. The only obstacle to an agreement now is the Bondholders' Protective Committee."

LOSS GREATLY EXAGGERATED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Chairman Gary of the United States Steel Corporation said today that the published statement concerning damage to grounds belonging to the Shelby Steel Tube Company, located in Shelby, O., are greatly exaggerated, and that the real loss does not exceed $20,000. Dispatches estimated the loss at $3,000,000.

ANOTHER VERSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—An agreement on terms for the reorganization of the United States Shipbuilding Company and the abandonment of the Sheldon reorganization plan, it is understood on good authority, has been substantially reached between Receiver Smith, of the company, and Charles M. Schwab and members of the Sheldon Syndicate, but this plan is said to be acceptable to neither the bondholders' protective committee nor to the Commonwealth Trust Company and the litigation is bound to continue unless the Schwab interests make still further concessions.

The plan, as outlined tentatively, provides for the retention of control by Schwab, giving him $9,000,000 preferred and $6,000,000 common out of a total of approximately $30,000,000 stock of the reorganized company, the rmaining $6,000,000 preferred and the $9,000,000 common going to other interests.

Under the new plan, Schwab abandoned his contention that his mortgage on the Bethlehem plant should be given priority over the first mortgage bonds of the entire shipbuilding company property, this being one of the features of the Sheldon plan.

EDITOR OF "OUTING" STARVED TO DEATH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] News reached this city tonight that Leonidas Hubbard, assistant editor of Outing, who set out last July to explore Labrador, had been found starved to death in the interior of that country by an exploring party in search of him. His body is being brought by sledge to Montreal, but it will be weeks before it reaches New York.

CARRIED FEW PROVISIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Leonidas Hubbard, who was assistant editor of Outing, was sent out by that magazine to explore the interior of Labrador. In his party were Dillon Wallace, a New York lawyer, and two Crée Indians. The explorers left Rigolet about the beginning of July of last year. Their object was to penetrate to the settlement of Nascauppes Indians where, so far as known, no white men have been.

Hubbard and his party traveled very light, mindful of the fact that other similar expeditions had gone out overland overloaded with impedimenta and they trusted to their prowess with rod and rifle to obtain food on the trip. It was the plan of Hubbard to work inland into Labrador, a distance of 300 miles.

On August 26, reports came from Labrador that the Hubbard party was progressing satisfactorily, but two months later, nothing having been heard from them, apprehensions were expressed of their probable fate, especially as there was extreme destitution in Labrador owing to the shortage of the fishery catch.

Hubbard's wife has been waiting for him at Quebec.

DIED IN OCTOBER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

QUEBEC, Jan. 22.—Word was received here tonight from Chateau Bay, Lamrador, that a courier had arrived there yesterday from Northwest River with the information that Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., of the exploring party sent out by the magazine Outing, of New York, had died from starvation in the wilds of Labrador, on October 14. The remains are on their way to Quebec, so the report says, by dog train, with the other members of the expedition, which is expected to reach Chateau Bay some time in March.

ARMY AND NAVY MEN

Col. E. P. Pearson has just returned to Washington from a visit to Jamaica.

Col. Albert Hartsuff left New York on January 19 for an extended trip to Naples and Alexandria, Egypt.

Rear-Admiral Francis A. Cook, retired, is at the Naval Home in Philadelphia, receiving treatment for affection of the heart.

Elihu Root, Secretary of War, was a guest of honor at a dinner given January 22, in Washington, by the Whippoorwill Club, an organization of Civil War veterans.

Surgeon Leckinski W. Spratling has been detailed for duty with the Marine Battalion at Panama. He has formerly been on duty at the Naval Laboratory, Brooklyn.

Gen. Adna R. Chaffee has accepted an invitation to attend the annual meeting of the National Guard Association of New York at Albany, February 17, and will make an address before the association at its meeting.

A movement is on foot to revive the Infantry Association with headquarters at Washington. The matter is at present in the hands of a committee composed of Lieut.-Col. J. S. Pettit and Capts. Alvord, Muir, Hale and McIntyre.

Lieutenant-Commander Roy C. Smith has closed up the affairs of the office in Paris and has gone to St. Petersburg, where he will probably remain for some time as a result of the strained relations between Japan and the Muscovite.

When the Senate, on January 14, confirmed the appointment of Gens. Chaffee, Gillespie and Mackenzie, the confirmation of Brig.Gens. Kobbe, Sanger, Bates and Randolph were overlooked, owing to a clerical error in mixing up the nomination sheets.

In view of the continued disturbance at Santo Domingo, and the unrest prevailing there, it has been decided to send the Columbia, now attached to the training squadron, to Santo Domingo city. The Columbia is commanded by Rear-Admiral William C. Wise.

Lieut. Kenneth G. Castleman of the navy, who was recently tried at the Norfolk Navy Yard, on the charge of "culpable negligence and inefficiency in the performance of duty," has been sentenced to be reduced three numbers in his grade and to be reprimanded by the Secretary of the Navy.

Announcement has been made by the Navy Department of the relief of Commander William H. H. Southerland, Chief Hydrographer of the Navy, and his assignment at his own request to command the new cruiser Cleveland. By his promotion to the grade of captain he is entitled to a still higher command.

Gen. Frederick D. Grant, who has been in command of the Department of Texas, with headquarters at San Antonio, has relinquished command and left for Chicago. Col. M. B. Hughes, First Cavalry, has assumed temporary command of the department, pending the arrival of Gen. Jesse M. Lee from the Philippines.

A late dispatch from Peking reports that Capt. Henry T. Allen, Brigadier-General and Chief of the Philippine Constabulary, has arrived there, and will accompany the Russians as the American military representative in the event of war. He has been attached to the American Legation at St. Petersburg, speaks Russian, and has a wide acquaintance among the Russian officers.

New and Useful Inventions.

FOOT-WARMING DEVICE.

Simple Apparatus for Quickly Heating the Pedal Extremities.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

THE great army of unfortunates who are afflicted with cold feet will hail with joyous acclamation a device or their benefit.

While the accompanying picture gives a good idea of the affair, it may be in order to state that it is merely an attachment for the ordinary steam or hot water radiator with which modern buildings are heated.

In shape and somewhat in appearance the foot warmer resembles the footrest of a barber's chair. It is connected with the radiator by a short

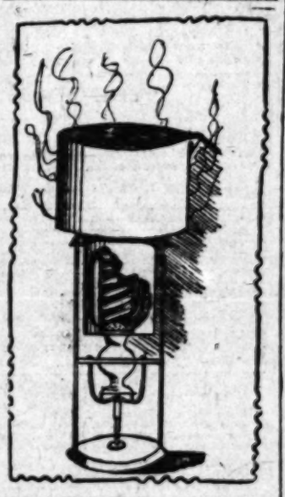
THE FOOT WARMER.

pipe, through which the heating agency passes into the foot warmer. Myriads of tiny holes permit the heat to escape in such a quantity as to quickly warm the feet of the merchant when he reaches his office on a cold morning, or the feet of the woman shopper when she reaches a store.

Economy in Flame.

In the household fire is used for three purposes—illumination, heating and cooking—and generally it requires a separate and distinct apparatus for each of these purposes.

Some good genius has invented an affair which combines all these principles in one. Light from the flame of a lamp at the base of the machine is diffused throughout the room. The



THE LIGHTER, HEATER AND COOKER.

upper part of the flame heats an oven attachment, and in doing so passes through a coil of pipe, the air in which flows rapidly out into the room as it is heated, and is replaced by cooler air, which in turn reaches a high temperature.

Music-leaf Turner.

It is a source of regret to the aspiring instrumentalist to be obliged to stop in the middle of an artistic rendition of a masterpiece to turn the music, yet this frequently happens.

A young musician has invented and patented an apparatus to do away with this annoyance. By means of a push

THE MUSIC-LEAF TURNER.

button, arranged convenient to the keyboard of the instrument the music pages are readily turned at will. The machine can be also adapted to turning the pages of a book held at the side of a sick bed by an ordinary bookrest.

No More Snoring.

Somebody's snoring has so preyed on the mind of a man in California that he has designed an anti-snoring apparatus which he only recently patented.

So successfully does the affair promise to do its work, that a board of experts who have made an examination of its merits feel sure that if the users do not swallow the things, an end will be put to snoring for all time.

A flexible mouthpiece fits in the mouth in front of the teeth, and the center of the mouthpiece is pierced by a hole covered by a valve. The latter is so arranged that the sleeper, no matter how wide open his mouth, cannot breathe through it, but must use

THE ANTISNORER.

his nasal organ for this purpose. But when he empties his lungs the valve opens and the air is exhaled through the opening. This method of breathing is great indeed to prevent snoring.

Ice Automobile.

The automobile is not to be relegated to the rear by grim old winter. An auto has been devised to run on snow or ice at a speed calculated to take the breath out of the nerviest motorist who ever wore goggles.

The body of the vehicle is mounted on a double set of runners, while the

THE ICE AUTOMOBILE.

means of propulsion is found in a large spiked wheel attached to the back of the concern and driven by an engine located in the body of the vehicle.

Hat Protector.

What a horrible experience it is for a woman leaving church or the opera with her new gaily bedecked hat to step out into the rain, hail or snow and have the beautiful headgear ruined. And what a horrible thing it is for the man who paid for the hat to see his hard-earned dollars thus go to waste.

A little New York woman has patented a hat cover to meet just such

THE HAT PROTECTOR.

emergencies. It consists of a soft rubber casing whose mouth is bound with an elastic band. It may be folded very small and carried by the woman's escort in his pocket. It is a very simple matter to put it in place over the hat when occasion requires.

The Anglo-Japanese Alliance.

Amid the unquestionably ominous features of the situation in Eastern Asia and the apparent drift of affairs toward war, it is well to bear in mind the existence of a defensive, if not an offensive, alliance between Great Britain and Japan. The treaty of alliance was made two years ago this month, to remain in force at least five years, and indefinitely thereafter until one year after it shall have been denounced; provided, however, that if at the time set for its termination either party shall be engaged in war it shall continue ipso facto in force until peace is concluded. The alliance is therefore practically certain to last until the present controversy in Korea and Manchuria is settled. The treaty recognizes the independence and calls for the maintenance of the territorial integrity of China and Korea; but it also recognizes and is meant to maintain the interests of both its makers in those countries, and especially the peculiar interests of Japan in Korea; and it recognizes the propriety of either power's taking any measures, defensive or aggressive, that may be necessary for the safeguarding of its interests there. In case either party thus becomes involved in war the other will use its efforts to maintain the neutrality of all other powers. But should a second power join in the war against either party, then the other party to the treaty will come to its ally's assistance and conduct the war and make peace in common with it. In a war between Japan and Russia, then, Great Britain would remain neutral, using her efforts to keep all other powers neutral. But should any other power—France or Germany or even China—join Russia against Japan, then Great Britain would join forces with Japan and [illegible] powers. Neither without consulting the arrangements with a [illegible] dicial to its ally's [illegible] therefore, cannot [illegible] Russia conceding the [illegible] sion and control of [illegible] consulting Great Britain that the proposed [illegible] tory to her. Finally [illegible] opinion of either [illegible] of either are in [illegible] governments will [illegible] each other fully [illegible] means that in the [illegible] Great Britain has [illegible] cerning every [illegible] and it is to be [illegible] such step has [illegible] approval.—[New

Systemic [illegible]

The sad [illegible] from heart [illegible] is not an [illegible] final disease. [illegible] and in most [illegible] is the result of [illegible] exhausting [illegible] poisoning in the [illegible] ter condition [illegible] feet itself until [illegible] symptoms have [illegible]

Very often, in fact, [illegible] be progressing [illegible] out premonition. [illegible] grave aspect and [illegible] a question of hours. [illegible] pure and simple, and [illegible] the power of any [illegible] counteract. The [illegible] cases is evident [illegible] with this state of [illegible] there may be the [illegible] of croup, necessitating [illegible] prevent threatening [illegible] pily, the much-[illegible] late President escaped [illegible] ing infliction. Under [illegible] it is not so much [illegible] in the disease as the [illegible] tivity in the patient [illegible] the ultimate issue.—[New

VIOLENT DISPOSITION.

[illegible] Sleuth Flemming was arrested [illegible] drunkenness.

[illegible] morning he was sober, was [illegible] from jail and the $7.45 taken [illegible] when he was brought to the [illegible] was returned to him.

[illegible] carried as fast as he could for [illegible] Associated Charities headquarters [illegible] declared that $2 was all the money [illegible] in the world. The Associated [illegible] officials soon learned the [illegible] returned to him by the police, [illegible] learned that he had saved [illegible]. Undaunted by the discovery [illegible] he, he glibly related the [illegible] his life and affliction—the [illegible] yarn. Reference to the recent [illegible] his startling war story [illegible] years ago.

All [illegible] settled it. Secretary Stuart [illegible] further parleying told Peter [illegible] a "grafter," and the Associated [illegible] would do nothing for him.

[illegible] to leave the room, violently [illegible] "I will make the [illegible] care of me, I will force [illegible] Peter changed his mind when the

FREE RADIUM TREATMENT

All Literature and [illegible] Free.

A Letter to Elderly Men and Weak Young Men.

The Power of Radium to Make Men Young, to Make Men Strong and Give VIGOROUS.

Science has demonstrated by actual tests that by giving Radium the proper indicated vigorizer, by subjecting them to the direct rays, they take on the Radium, when taken into the stomach as a medicine, is treated and all the power of Radium is broken down, separated and carried direct to the nerve centers, giving and vivifying [illegible] on the brain and nerves, and then on every organ, nerve and tissue of the entire body.

Dr. W. H. King of New York, Dean of the Physio-Medical College, the most influential [illegible] ing water improvements by [illegible] while Dr. Stoltz of Philadelphia, cancer and consumption in its second stages by Radio-Activity, Edwin Eldridge, also of Philadelphia, successfully restored [illegible] ter of skin blemishes and [illegible] even gone so far as to [illegible] leopard and turn the black [illegible] white by the magic rays of Radium. A number of equally well known men both Europe and America have [illegible] many most marvelous and [illegible] cures through Radium. [illegible] use of the rays of Radium in the X-Ray, Violet Ray and Vita-Radium treatment [illegible] for Prof. Bain, of the [illegible] ical Institute, of Cook [illegible] to discover the fact that [illegible] be transmitted to the [illegible] certain vegetables, [illegible] like magic when [illegible] broken-down, nervous [illegible] weak young men, [illegible] from nervous exhaustion, [illegible] lack of power and [illegible] been proven by the [illegible] of tests and thousands [illegible] Radio-Activity restores the [illegible] their former strength and [illegible] and body, and makes them, with all the [illegible] and ability to achieve [illegible] grand or attainable, [illegible] vigorous, robust, active [illegible] never fails but always [illegible] of which has not been [illegible] heretofore to the people. [illegible] cue, strong, healthy men [illegible] in fact, what makes [illegible] and so much more than [illegible] adopter and delegator [illegible] greatest discovery of [illegible] Radium in the cure of [illegible] advantages and power [illegible] reach of every [illegible]

The British-American Co., Ltd., of Los Angeles, was the first Medical [illegible] states that was willing [illegible] thousand dollars [illegible] an Electro-Ozo-Vita-Radiatine to the United States [illegible] cal men and medical [illegible] company extravagant [illegible] a sum, but as the only [illegible] American Medical [illegible] in Europe and there [illegible] all the large Europe [illegible] the lookout for [illegible] improved instruments [illegible] has been watching the [illegible] tion of Radium in [illegible] wonderful results in [illegible] so-called incurable [illegible] Ozo-Vita-Radiatine [illegible] were in a position to [illegible] the application of [illegible] diseases than any [illegible] cities in this [illegible] they were taking to [illegible] these valuable [illegible] such a great success [illegible] trated their wisdom [illegible] well as their [illegible] they imported [illegible] treated over [illegible] most severe tests [illegible]

The British-American [illegible] Ltd., was not only [illegible] Medical Company, [illegible] professional men who [illegible] cient quantity of [illegible] United States or [illegible] ances to produce [illegible] cient power to [illegible] transmit Radium [illegible] to sufficient amount [illegible] great demand for [illegible] medical profession [illegible] the only place where [illegible] with Radium [illegible] a certainty and [illegible] ing the genuine [illegible] remedies is from [illegible] cal Institute Co., [illegible] Ber. 1452 D Street, [illegible] its South Figueroa Street [illegible] or at some one of [illegible] stitutes or Sanitariums [illegible] at Rat Pyatoa, Colo. [illegible] All remedies sold [illegible] stitutes are sold under [illegible] original British-American [illegible] Ltd., of Los Angeles [illegible] wealthiest medical [illegible] chartered in 1905 with [illegible] fifteen millions of [illegible] guarantee the purity and [illegible] strength of all [illegible] truth and reason [illegible] promises above [illegible]

If you had but [illegible] remedies tested with [illegible] of Radium you [illegible] be convinced of all [illegible] these remedies will [illegible] them as no [illegible] title discovery has ever [illegible] Remedies [illegible] stored the medical [illegible] afflicted direct from [illegible] above given.

All communications [illegible] the British-American [illegible] pany, Ltd., 149 D Street, [illegible] South Figueroa [illegible]

Free examination of [illegible] profession and the [illegible] inclosed to pay [illegible] Correspondence [illegible] sion and those afflicted [illegible] the world.

E. CONNELL, [illegible]
J. M. BAIN, Chemist.

DELEGATE'S BLUFF CALLED.

Threatened to Tie up Entire Santa Fe System.

Railway Officials Prepare for Stiff Fight.

Authorities Back Down and Recall Ultimatum.

[illegible] Master Wilson of the Railway [illegible] Union no longer walks to [illegible] be seeking something to devour. [illegible] insists along the lines of the [illegible] Fe system know him no more. [illegible] his job as walking delegate and [illegible] disorganizer has gone a-glimmering.

[illegible] had planned to tie up the [illegible] Santa Fé system by calling out [illegible] union mechanic employed. He [illegible] show the railway officials a [illegible] or two. Backed by yellow journalism, he thought he had the world [illegible] all and at pleasure could, by a [illegible] twist of the wrist, cause the [illegible] that he to bow to his will. [illegible] the Santa Fé is still doing business at the old stand and Wilson is [illegible] for new fields to conquer.

[illegible] only fault Wilson had to find [illegible] the Santa Fé was that at several [illegible] along the line a few non-union [illegible] had been employed. But that [illegible] sufficient to cause Wilson to snort. [illegible] ordered the immediate discharge [illegible] of independent workman. In default [illegible] he threatened to call out every [illegible] man on the Santa Fé system. [illegible] of complying with the arrogant [illegible] the Santa Fé officers smiled a [illegible] and got in readiness to meet [illegible] such a condition as was threatened. [illegible] Arrangements were made for [illegible] protection, from three to five [illegible] were pledged for every job that [illegible] be made vacant in the event of [illegible] out and a general [illegible] issued. [illegible] was not just what Wilson had [illegible] soon. From his viewpoint he [illegible] erred, but there came a rude [illegible] from his dream of power or [illegible] dream. In fact, it was soon [illegible] by his fellow delegator [illegible] greatest discovery of [illegible] Radium in the cure of [illegible] advantages and power [illegible] reach of every [illegible]

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FREE RADIUM TREATME[illegible]

All Literature and Sa[illegible] Free.

A Letter to Elderly Men [illegible] Weak Young Men.

The Power of Radium to Make Men Young, to Make W[illegible] Men Strong and ALL M[illegible] VIGOROUS.

Science has demonstrated and proved by actual tests that by giving Radio-Activity the proper indicated vegetable remedies, and subjecting them to the direct rays of the sun, that they take on the Radium film which passes into the stomach as a remedy, is generated and all the curative properties of Radium are brought directly in contact with the tissues of the body, absorbed by the blood and carried direct to the brain, where the quickening and vivifying effects are felt instantly on the brain and nervous system, and then on every organ, nerve cell and tissue of the sensitive body.

Dr. W. H. King of New York City, Dean of the Flower Hospital [illegible] the most malignant diphtheria [illegible] using water impregnated by Radio-Activity, while Dr. Stolts of Philadelphia, has successfully cancer and consumption [illegible] and stages by Radio-Activity, and [illegible] Edwin Aldridge, also of Philadelphia, has successfully removed birthmarks and all [illegible] of skin blemishes and skin [illegible] even [illegible] so far as to change the color of the eyes [illegible] regard and turn the black skin of the negro white by the magic rays of Radium. A number of equally eminent men, both in Europe and America, have made many most marvelous and wonderful cures entirely through Radium-Activity and the magic rays of Radium by causing the X-Ray, Violet Ray and the [illegible] Radium treatment machines. It is said that Prof. Bain, of the British-American Medical Institute, of Great Britain, was the first to discover the fact that Radio-Activity could be transmitted to the albuminous matter to obtain vegetable, remedial agents of the most magic when transmitted to the human body, broken-down, nervous energies of the weak young men, and all others suffering from nervous exhaustion, nervous debility, lack of power and lack of confidence, have been proven by the best scientists by thousands of tests and thousands of cases where Radio-Activity renews their youth and restores their former strength and power of vigorous body and mind, and makes them, in fact, men, with all the natural ambition and ability to achieve success that is possessed or attainable by the most vigorous, robust, energetic business man. It never fails but always restores the [illegible] which has not been generally supposed heretofore to be the result of a [illegible] man, strong, healthy sexual system [illegible] In fact, what makes one man so much more successful and prosperous than another, and now since the discovery of the application of Radium in the cure of disease, its advantages and powers are placed within the reach of every man, both young and old. The British-American Medical Institute, Ltd., of Los Angeles has taken the first Medical Company in the United States that was willing to put a thousand dollars to purchase an Electro-Da-Vito-Radium [illegible] introduce into the United States and Canada, and medical societies, but as the main office of the British-American Medical Institute is in Europe and they have called in all the large European physicians in consultation to look for late scientific discoveries and improved instruments and their application in curing disease, and after watching the operation of Radium in Berlin and Paris with wonderful results in the treatment of so-called incurable diseases by the use of Electro-Da-Vito-Radium treatment, they were in a position to know the value and application of Radium for the cure of diseases than any other medical institution in this country. Therefore, they were taking no risk in the purchase of this very valuable appliance which has proven such a great success and again bore out their wisdom in fully [illegible] as well as their professional ability. The Imperial [illegible] machines [illegible] tested over two thousand cases in the most severe tests without a single failure. The British-American Medical Institute was now only the first, but is the only medical Company, society or organization of professional men who own a sufficient quantity or enough Radium [illegible] United States or have the necessary power to produce Radio-Activity and transmit Radium Activity and [illegible] sufficient amount of remedies to meet the great demand from the people and the medical profession at this time. The only place where remedial agents with Radium activity can be secured with certainty and positive guarantee is from the genuine unadulterated remedies [illegible] from the British-American Medical Institute Company, Ltd., of Europe and America, [illegible] 1452 D street, San Diego, Cal., or 1[illegible] South Figueroa street, Los Angeles, Cal., or at some one of their branch Institutes or Sanitariums in the United States or Canada, Chicago, San Francisco, Colorado Springs, Denver, [illegible] Vista, Colo. He represents that he has been living at the Soldiers' Home near Santa Monica because he had been a member of the United States Artillery; that he was refused admission to the Soldiers' Home near Santa Monica because he had not been a member of the regular army; that he said he lost his legs and [illegible] by the war; that the artificial limbs he had owned were in Monte[illegible] that he was unable to bring them to Los Angeles because he had beaten his railroad. Peter was given [illegible] tickets and told to go—but [illegible] was kept on file.

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He didn't like Los Angeles, anyway—too chilly.

So yesterday afternoon he left for Pasadena, to try to work his artificial leg game on the good people of that place and on the sympathetic tourist.

MANY BEGGAR GRAFTERS.

Secretary Stuart of the Associated Charities said yesterday:

"I want to explain that the State law says the County Supervisors may establish a farm and may establish a hospital, but there is nothing compulsory about it. The county is not compelled to take care of its poor. The Associated Charities refuses assistance to no really worthy person, but grafting beggars who have picked Los Angeles out as a winter resort must not look for assistance from this association. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred any beggar who presents a printed card telling the story of his deformity or other troubles is a professional working a graft.—Many of these to whom we have offered assistance have repulsed that offer and have admitted they could make more money begging than most salaried business men get. The Associated Charities is a humanitarian organization and appreciates and has great sympathy for unfortunates, but it can not be a friend to grafters."

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[illegible] Foster Wilson of the Railway [illegible] Union no longer walks to [illegible] seeking something to devour. [illegible] system know him no more. [illegible] job as walking delegate and [illegible] organizer has gone a-glimmering.

[illegible] had planned to tie up the Santa Fe system by calling out [illegible] mechanic employed. He [illegible] the railway officials a [illegible]ve. Backed by yellow journalism, he thought he had the world [illegible] and at pleasure could, by a [illegible] of the wrist, cause the [illegible] to bow to his will.

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[illegible]Systemic Poisoning in Diphtheria.

The sad death of Ruth Cl[illegible] from heart failure following diphtheria is not an unusual outcome of the disease. The end is always the result of the unequal struggle between the [illegible] resisting vitality in the grave cases. Tissue poisoning in the grave cases. The condition frequently does not manifest itself until days after the symptoms have developed. In fact, the victim is very often, in fact, the victim [illegible] progressing favorably, when the [illegible] premonition, the case assumes a fatal issue. The question of yours. This is [illegible] and simple, and may be [illegible] power of any dose on anti-[illegible] interact. The hopelessness [illegible] is evident enough. [illegible] this state of general [illegible] we may be the dreaded [illegible] croup, necessitating [illegible] vent threatening suffocation [illegible], the much-mourned child. [illegible] President escaped such a [illegible] infliction. Under any circumstances not so much the microbe [illegible] the disease as the degree [illegible] ty in the patient that [illegible] ultimate issue.—[New York [illegible]

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letter from Gen. yesterday by Department Adjt.-Gen. J. H. Roberts and read by him last evening:

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 20.

My Dear Roberts: I am very sorry to disappoint the comrades, but I find I was injured much more than I thought. I got up after three days in bed and had to go back, and I will be in big luck if I am able to get out and get to the city by the 1st of February. I am going to see some of the party next month or in March. Hope you will have a good time and tell the comrades how greatly I miss being with them. Sincerely,

[Signed] WILLIAM R. SHAFTER.

Judge B. N. Smith, commander of Bartlett-Logan Post, presided and delivered the chief address.

COMMANDER SMITH'S SPEECH.

"Comrades of the Grand Army, ladies and gentlemen: We are here tonight to extend a hearty welcome to our Department Commander and his staff. We regret that an accident has prevented our Commander from being present with us this evening; however, he is with us in spirit and our sympathies and kindest wishes go out to him in his affliction.

"As to Grand Army matters, the whole country is divided into departments, each of which elects a commander yearly, and over all is a Commander in Chief also elected each year at the National Encampment. The society is largely fraternal, its three fundamental tenets being fraternity, charity and loyalty. Our department consists of California and Nevada, and for its commander we have a very distinguished fellow-citizen—Gen. W. R. Shafter. Accompanying him in his tour of inspection is Assistant Adjutant-General John H. Roberts and Past Department Commander A. J. Buckles, and our own fellow-citizen, Comrade W. S. Daubenspeck, Department Inspector.

"And so tonight we give these visiting comrades a hearty welcome, a soldiers' welcome, and in addition to that a Los Angeles welcome. We welcome these grizzled and battle-scarred veterans because of the honorable services they have rendered their country, and also on account of the large numbers of comrades in this department whom they represent. When the oncoming flood of secession and rebellion in 1861 threatened to overwhelm our common country and destroy our glorious Union, our Commander, then in the fresh days of early manhood, together with the great host of Union men, stepped to the front, put on the blue and cast his life and fortune into the balances of grim war and bared his bosom to shot and shell to preserve the Union of our fathers.

"I remember reading a poem in the early war days which aptly expressed that fervent patriotism which permeated the North—it was by Mr. Duffield, of Detroit, Mich.—and especially one verse, wherein he says:

"The star of empire here must rest;
It cannot journey farther west.
The greatest nation and the last
Is on a scale of grandeur cast
And so designed that it must be
The inheritor from sea to sea:
To which no petty state may say,
'Wait! till I give the right of way.'
What though whole states be trod to dust,
Survive and stand the Union must!
What though a million heroes fall,
The nation saved is worth them all.
And glorious heritage 'twill be
In having died for Liberty."

"And so these comrades fought on and at length a kind providence smiled on the good cause, and when the thunders of cannon had died away and the smoke had lifted from a thousand battlefields, behold the Stars and Stripes, the emblem of freedom floated over every foot of the republic.

"Nor is this all: When the sticks and the cranes of the oppressed had been wafted across the sea from the isle of the Antilles and reached the ears and hearts of the American people, our great President, William McKinley, voicing the sentiment of this country, said to the oppressor, 'Open your prison-houses and let the oppressed go free!' and so long as Cuba shall love liberty and hate oppression, the name and fame of Gen. W. R. Shafter who commanded the victorious American army on the heights of El Caney and San Juan Hill, will be revered and remembered."

OTHER SPEAKERS.

Remarks on Uncle Sam's foreign relations were made by Judge A. J. Buckles, past department commander. "It is pleasant to me," he said, "to hear how anxious these foreign nations are to know what the United States is going to do on this and that point. It has come forth that our vessels must not be hindered in carrying commerce to all nations."

Points in favor of the bill for a $12 monthly pension for honorably-discharged veterans of the Civil War who served ninety days or more were presented by Department Adjt.-Gen. J. H. Roberts. Others who spoke were Department Chaplain C. J. Thompson, Senior Vice-Department Commander C. T. Rice of Riverside, Commander Edgerton of Stanton Post and ex-Gov. J. J. Gosper. Several musical selections were rendered by the Veteran Fife and Drum Corps. Vocal pieces were given by Prof. F. A. Worth and by Sam Kuta, Col. H. Glaze, C. F. Derby, J. D. Bothwell and Col. Edgerton.

Other than the speakers and singers there were on the platform Department Mustering Officer W. S. Daubenbeck, Capt. A. H. Johnson, William Block, E. O. Felts, S. O. Wood, R. H. Williams, Capt. P. P. Livermore, George A. Allen, Frank McCarick, W. W. Dorward, N. C. Whims and A. J. Myers.

RELIGIOUS.

NOTED DUNKARD ON EAST SIDE.

BAPTISTS WILL HOLD SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Robert J. Burdette to Address Men's Mass Meeting Tomorrow Afternoon—The First of the Mills Meetings Will be Held Sunday Afternoon—Other Religious Events.

There will be no lack of programmes tomorrow for persons who want to know what is going on in the religious world. The famous Burdette will corral the men at Temple Baptist Church, at the same hour that B. Fay Mills will talk in Simpson Auditorium, and a noted Dunkard from Illinois will appear in East Los Angeles. Besides these there will be many meetings on the streets—three of them by the gospel wagon of the Union Rescue Mission.

NOTED DUNKARD.

A series of special meetings will commence in the Brethren Church (Dunkards,) on Hancock street, below Downey avenue, on Sunday, to continue two weeks. They will be conducted by Elder D. L. Miller of Mt. Morris, Ill., who is probably the greatest traveler, author and lecturer in the Dunkard church. This once exclusive Christian sect is now reaching out like other denominations, advertises its meetings, and invites everybody to come.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The Baptist Sunday-school Union of Los Angeles and Pasadena will hold a convention in Friendship Baptist Church, Pasadena, on Sunday afternoon.

The exercises will consist of four programmes of music and recitation, rendered by each of the following schools, in the order named: Friendship, Second Baptist, Mt. Zion and Tabernacle. Papers will be read by Miss Virginia Griffin and L. McDuff.

MASS MEETINGS.

The Y.M.C.A. has begun a series of Sunday mass meetings for men, to be held in the Temple Baptist Church, corner Sixth and Hill streets. Rev. Robert J. Burdette will be the speaker Sunday, at 3 p.m., and will have for his theme, "The Infallible Guide." All the churches will heartily coöperate in this movement. Good music will be furnished by a male chorus, soloists, and the Y.M.C.A. Quartette.

THE MILLS MEETINGS.

B. Fay Mills will have his first meetings in Simpson Auditorium tomorrow at 3 and 7:30 p.m., his afternoon topic being "What Is It All For?" Beginning Monday afternoon a meeting will be held in Blanchard Hall at 2:30 each day. The following persons have been named as the Committee of Arrangement in charge of the meetings: Dr. F. S. Barnard, Dr. W. W. Beckett, L. W. Blinn, H. C. Blakey, F. T. Dunning, A. P. Fleming, H. W. Frank, Dr. John R. Haynes, J. B. Irvine, Jr., Newell Matthews, Charles A. Moody, W. C. Patterson and wife, A. M. Salyer and wife, William H. Stuart, Dr. W. E. Waddell.

UNION RESCUE MISSION.

There is to be a striking song service at the Union Rescue Mission, No. 145 North Main street, on Sunday evening. The Lowe Family, the Sunshine Quartette, Miss Liscomb, and the Trotter brothers will all sing. Evangelist Henry J. Pierson will be the special speaker. The gospel wagon services will be held as usual on Sunday afternoon, at the Plaza, at First and Los Angeles streets, and at Fifth and Broadway.

GOSPEL TEMPERANCE.

Francis Murphy will talk to the men at the Keystone Iron Works, on North Main street, today at noon. He anticipates having a great meeting in Blanchard Hall, Sunday evening, when he will take "Love" for his subject. There will be the usual attractive musical features.

FIRE DESTROYS CHINKS' SHACKS.

CHINATOWN BLAZE RAZES LEM YEN'S ESTABLISHMENT.

As Usual, Celestials Carry Out Their Household Goods, Making no Attempt to Check the Incipient Blaze at Its Beginning.

A fire at Nos. 828-830 Juan street in Chinatown last night about 10 o'clock drew a large crowd to that neighborhood, and destroyed several shacks and stables occupied by Lem Yen, vegetable dealer. In the rear of the shacks a number of horses were corraled and vegetable wagons ready to go out in the morning were in the yards.

The shacks burned like tinder, but by prompt work the fire was confined to a few houses and prevented from spreading to the lumber yards of E. K. Wood & Co., adjoining. At the beginning the immense piles of lumber were endangered.

The Chinamen seemed panic-stricken and made no attempt to check the flames when in an incipient stage, but devoted themselves to carrying out household goods and saving horses and wagons. The origin of the fire was attributed to a careless stableman with a lantern. The loss will not exceed $500. The property belonged to the Sepulveda estate.

New Entrance to Times Office.

While the Business Offices of The Times are being remodeled, the entrance to the advertising and subscription departments will be on First street at the eastern extremity of the building.

A BELGIAN boy of 16 years is exciting great attention throughout Europe by the wonderful cures he is said to effect by means of spirit agency. The Times Magazine tomorrow will contain an article describing what a correspondent saw and learned by a visit to the boy's home.

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Sells in China
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Sells in France
Sells in Mexico
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Sells in Germany
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FATAL NO LONGER.

Dread Locomotor Ataxia Robbed of Its Terrors.

DOOM REVOKED IN EXTREME CASE.

The Very Doctors Amazed at the Astonishing Cure—Helpless And Hopeless, Miss Phebe Ett Eros Recovers the Strength and Activity of Youth.

No legend of the widely famed valley of the Susquehanna surpasses in strangeness, and certainly none approaches in vital significance, the story of the long struggle in which Phebe Ett Enos has conquered a frightful form of disease, the very name of which physicians shrink from telling to its victims because it has come to mean inevitable death. The story which Miss Enos told to a reporter at her home at Oneonta, N. Y., will be read with intense interest throughout the whole world:

"My trouble began six years ago with a numb feeling in my feet. They pricked and stung as if needles were being stuck [illegible] and the numbness spread until both limbs were affected. The pain was so intense that I could not get to sleep. The best doctor in Oneonta attended me and I took his medicine faithfully but kept growing worse.

"One day I asked the doctor to tell me frankly whether he could cure me. He hesitated awhile and then said: 'I might as well tell you one time as another, Miss Enos, that you will probably never be active again. Your trouble is locomotor ataxia and that is regarded as incurable. I can probably make you comfortable, but that's all.' He was very serious and before he went away he advised me to put all personal matters of importance into satisfactory shape.

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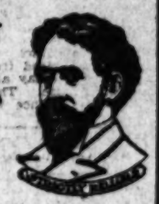

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Will Observer Call?

Will the author of a communication signed "Observer" please call on the city editor of The Times and impart a little additional information?

Bresee Will Preach.

Dr. Bresee has returned from his adventurous trip without his nightgowns and will preach as usual at the Church of the Nazarene at Sixth and Wall streets Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock.

Fined for Cruelty.

Gilbert Valenzuela of No. 1219 Lawrence street was arrested yesterday afternoon by humane officers on a charge of cruelty to animals. Valenzuela was driving a pair of decrepit mules belonging to E. N. Davis, and had only been working for Davis two days. He was fined $25 in Police Court.

Trying to Get Brown Out.

Relatives of Newton Brown, who is serving a sixteen-month sentence in a Mexican jail for the killing of Contractor Anton Swensen, his mining partner, are trying to get him out. In San Bernardino a petition is circulated for signatures asking Brown's release, on the grounds of good character during his residence there.

Warehouse Rebuilt.

Steps were taken yesterday to immediately begin rebuilding the warehouse of the Los Angeles Furniture Company, destroyed by fire Thursday night. The fire smoldered all day yesterday, but a large portion of the débris was removed. Officers of the company estimate that their net loss will not exceed $20,000, after the insurance policies are paid.

"Touched" His Friend.

George Stevens was arrested on a Mateo-street car last night because he was too anxious to take care of a drunken companion named D. Blakeley. Stevens took Blakeley's purse containing $6, on pretext of taking him home, but passengers on the car say he was trying to desert his charge when arrested.

Ex-Soldiers' Meeting.

The Southern California Society of the Army of the Philippines held its regular monthly meeting last night in the Grant building, with twenty members present. The topic of discussion was the possible effects of a Russo-Japanese conflict in the Far East, and the principal remarks of the evening were made by Col. W. J. Pife.

Cab and Car Collide.

A cab driven by M. Christie collided with a University car at Pico and Flower streets yesterday morning. Christie was thrown violently to the pavement and one of his hips fractured. The cab was wrecked and one of the occupants, Miss Guggenheim of No. 916 West Tenth street, was badly shaken up. Her companion, Miss L. Slotonski, was not injured.

Bad Salt Market.

"The condition of the salt market was never so unfavorable as at present," said A. M. Rawson, secretary of the Southern California Wholesale Grocers' Association, yesterday. "Salt is dead, absolutely profitless and this condition of affairs will probably continue as long as the supply lasts in the San Francisco market, where salt is being sold on a basis of $1.50 a ton. The supply is about 100,000 tons, or enough to last this Coast two years." Mr. Rawson is just out on the street again after a severe attack of the grippe.

Trouble Over Old Crow.

A complaint was filed in the United States Circuit Court yesterday in the name of W. A. Gaines & Co., distillers of Franklin, Ky., against Jacob Richter of Fresno for alleged infringement of its "Old Crow" whisky trade mark. It is alleged that respondent makes a practice of "maliciously and fraudulently" placing the "Old Crow" label on packages of "cheap imitation and spurious whisky," which he sells for the real old black bird brand distilled by the Kentucky concern. The court is asked to grant an injunction restraining said Richter from the further use of this label.

BREVITIES.

Times Sunday Classified Advertisers: For the accomodation of patrons, and in order to give prompt counter service Saturday nights classified advertisements will also be received in the subscription department as well as in the present counting-room. The subscription department immediately adjoins the business office on the north. Please take ads. in there when clerks in front office are busy. This arrangement will continue until the improvements now being made in the Times Building are completed.

Real estate advertisers and others hereafter, all real estate and other classified "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in. The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday night in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "Liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

Telephone your "Want" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Exchange 2.

Mark Guy Pearse, the celebrated English author and Methodist preacher of London, England, will lecture February 5 and 12 at Simpson Auditorium for the benefit of the University of Southern California.

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Mrs. Robert J. Burdette will speak at Young Women's Christian Association vesper service, Sunday 4 o'clock.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Co. for Mrs. George H. Stratton, Blanche P. Brown, Blades & Armitage, Eddie Dillmann, R. Hill, J. W Bohman, Alexander P. Kerr, N. W. Kellogg, J. L. Latham, Maude Martyne, John Au.

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New Entrance to Times Office.

While the Business Offices of The Times are being remodeled, the entrance to both advertising and subscription departments will be on First street at the eastern extremity of the building.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S letter in The Times Magazine tomorrow will present an interview with David M. Parry, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, on Trade-Union Abuses. The Association of which Mr. Parry is the head represents 3500 leading factories and corporations in this country. Every person interested in American industrial conditions will want to read what Mr. Parry says.

THE TIMES MAGAZINE tomorrow will contain a comprehensive article on Radio-Activity and the progress of scientific investigation in the line of physics.

A NEW system of telegraph has been invented in Germany by which marvelous speed is attained. It will be described and illustrated in The Times Magazine tomorrow.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

NATICK.—J. F. Michel, Hanford; L. B. Hill, Santa Barbara; J. Sudy, Blythedale; G. L. Davis, Moorpark; J. Evans and family, Iowa; J. W. Lewis, Lockport; W. A. Jones and wife, E. L. King and wife, Amboy, Ill.; James Braithwaite, Chicago; William Rickards, Mexico; Roy Ziegler, Muncie, Ind.; J. N. Fountain, Chicago; O. P. Beaty, Stovington; Herman Damper, Iowa; W. A. Smith, Portland, Or.; D. S. Mudney, Fresno; A. C. Chamberlain, San Francisco; F. Dolliver, Natick, Mass.; Frank Bigelow, South Dakota; Lewis Abraham, H. C. Maltby, Mrs. Lois Desmond, Mrs. L. A. Maltby, Seattle, Wash.; Paul B. Snell, Virginia; L. Seabrook, Bakersfield; L. G. Hurlbut; A. L. Shanklin, Illinois; M. F. Mors and wife, Needles; William Morrow, Aberdeen; W. B. Bird, E. N. Marsh, Baradoo, Wis.; S. Fitzgerald, Oakland; J. Jaques, Lima; R. Clarke, Tacoma, Wash.; J. H. Southwell and wife, Lothrop; J. Harrigan, Ed Cundy, Tonopah, Nev.; Mrs. V. E. Lunsford, Vallejo.

ANGELUS—William V. Humphreys, Howard B. Bidwell, Pittsburgh; John T. Johnson and wife, Milwaukee, Wis.; L. S. McCloud, Mrs. G. B. Armstrong, Belvidere, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Frank, Portland, Or.; F. Lovitt and wife, Boston; Fred S. Rosebrook and wife, New York; C. F. Wells and wife, Winfield, Kan.; A. S. Esberg, San Francisco; Ford H. Foote and wife, H. B. Foote, J. A. Williams and wife, Chicago; S. O. Ash, wife and boy, Pierre, S. D.; M. S. Holman, Chicago; J. H. Corfurter, W. J. Howard, Columbia, Tenn.; Mrs. M. Mellott, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Green, Nelson, B. C.; L. F. Wilson, Kansas City; Carl Schlawitz, Breslau, Germany; K. Lybroow Shanklin and wife, Whatcomb, Wash.; H. B. Sanders, Mrs. Caroline Read, Chicago; H. P. Goodspeed and wife, George E. Lantzmer and wife, Buffalo; W. B. Boggs and wife, New York.

VAN NUYS—William Fleming, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. F. H. Stolt, F. Stolt, Stoltville, N. Y.; Mrs. F. L. Durant and maid, Miss Durant, L. Durant, New York; E. W. Asfverd and wife, Chicago; Mrs. F. T. Randolph, Cleveland, O.; J. F. Ryan and wife, Chicago; C. H. Frink, Santa Barbara, F. A. Winters, two children, Chicago; Byron B. Veatch, Chicago; Charles H. Krohn, San Jose; T. F. Woodman, Chicago; Harry Francis, Godfrey Escret, G. W. Brosell, San Francisco; F. E. Lewis and wife Cincinnati; F. W. Thompson, San Francisco; D. B. Kendricks and wife, Elgin; H. J. Sloan, San Francisco; O. Mack and wife, H. F. Mathews, New York; Miss Gertrude Rutledge, New York; W. W. Shoemaker, Kansas City; K. Staab, Santa Fe, N. M.; Mrs. George Horton, Harry H. Horton, Sheeld, Pa.; Herbert Rogers, Boston, Mass.; Allen L. Duncan; E. B. Sedler, San Francisco; W. T. Boogs and wife, New York; George E. Horton, Sheffield, Pa.; A. B. McCoy, Clinton, Iowa.

NADEAU—J. A. Bistel, W. L. Gibeon, S. L. Gibson, Chicago; G. M. Williams, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Jaime O. Haro, Rivadwood; H. R. Buell, Sacramento; F. B. Merriam, San Diego; A. J. Steinman, E. A. Watson, Benjamin F. Shapee, George Morrell and wife, George E. Horton, San Francisco; Mrs. William Phillips, Mrs. M. E. Kingsman, Des Moines; Jack Hammill, Anaconda; J. Taylor, Sawtelle; George L. Heath, St. Louis; M. Fast, St. Joseph; Tom James and wife, Des Moines; James Carroll, C. O. Johnson, Malin Laverson, Needles; E. Mendes de Leon, Amsterdam, Holland; C. B. Matthews, Kansas City.

WESTMINSTER.—S. B. Toby, San Francisco; S. B. Larned, Syracuse, N. Y.; Mrs. E. Landy, New York; G. H. Chilcote, San Francisco; E. Jeantet, New York; William McKeanle, Seattle, Wash.; H. W. Bishop, C. M. Culoch, San Francisco; J. E. Hayden, San Rafael; C. E. McLaughlin, Quincy, Ill.; W. Fleming, Chicago; Mrs. E. Smith, Santa Barbara; L. Heinrich, Seattle; Mrs. Maybelle Conway, Chicago; C. K. Field, San Francisco; H. D. Marshall, Unionville, Mo.; C. Butler, Mrs. Butler, St. Paul; Mrs. Osborne, Seattle.

ROSSLYN.—Frank S. Gerry, wife and daughter, Western Springs; Mrs. Parks, Tacoma; Harry Brown, Chicago; Harry Lang, A. G. Shane, A. Thorpe, J. K. Russell, A. D. Smith, I. Bertelsen, San Francisco; D. R. Daniels and wife, Pearce, Ariz.; S. F. Neal, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reeves, Mrs. V. K. Gass, Wallace, Idaho; O. P. Hester, Carlin, Nev.; Harin W. Evans, San Francisco; Charles W. Yale, Yokohama; Harry Conners, San Francisco; Thomas Sudreth and family, Springfield, Ill.; Mrs. T. Suddreth, Normal, Ill.; Miss Laura Sudreth, Normal, Ill.; L. Henrits and wife, Rose Hilders, Daisy Palmer, Walter Waldo, Lizzie Purcell, Florence Wells, Charles Murray, Bee Hamilton, Georgia Russell, Tom Hay, Mr. and Mrs. La Valle, Ednam Powers, New York; H. Neil and wife, Ventura; J. M. Eckart, Mason City, Ia.; C. E. Petri and wife, Chicago; J. A. Henderson, Thomas German and wife, New York.

HOTTENBECK—John H. Cooper, J. Vosburg, Jr.; A. Kruger, C. H. Dalhaus, R. Burnhardy, B. D. Dunning, Charles Ross, F. H. Jost, L. Homigsburger, Vernon Waldron, G. W. Heilman, J. Milsner, N. W. Tripp, Ed. H. Thayer, G. W. Meyers, James O'Neil, J. M. Jenifer, C. L. Field, C. S. Downes, F. W. Hatch, San Francisco; J. Simpson, Roswell, N. M.; J. W. Runt, Salt Lake; R. Marx, F. S. Gillson, L. C. Levy, W. N. Cooper, Sam Deennbaum, A. Kraus, Dr. Markham and wife, J. N. Falkenburg, New York; F. Hatch, Paul Russel, Kansas City; W. S. Head, Oakland; W. W. Stebbins, Lexington, Ky.; J. S. Kane, Denver; S. Kaiser, W. D. Ranken and wife, Mexico; H. H. Neal and wife, Ventura; C. J. Bassett, Fremont; F. S. Wilson, Brawley; J. A. Gould and wife, Seattle; John Schartzer, Fort Worth; W. C. Cope, F. S. Morse, C. A. Wolf, S. H. de Valin, Mrs. W. E. Howes, Chicago; A. P. Thompson, Searchlight; C. K. Boyer, Williams; H. G. Vincent, J. M. Rorke, Santa Barbara; W. J. Tower, Toledo; W. A. White, El Paso; W. F. Chandler, Selma; Mrs. C. Rantoul, Martin Rantoul, Mrs. C. Edmont, Canada; L. W. Carr, S. L. Carr, Mrs. E. W. Peterson, Salinas.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the St. Denis, Dr. D. J. Frick; at the Grand Union, W. G. Thorpe; Herald Square, H. Laughlin, Jr.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Albert S. Leslie, aged 66, native of New Hampshire, and Emma M. McFarland, aged 46, native of Maine; both residents of Los Angeles.

Theodore Anderson, aged 35, native of Sweden, and Charlotte Anderson, aged 30, native of Sweden; both residents of Los Angeles.

Lake J. Blank, aged 28, native of Wisconsin, and Walleria G. Lisenski, aged 22, native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

LOPEZ—At his late residence at San Gabriel, January 21, 1904, Juan Nepumuceno Lopez, beloved husband of Guadalupe Lopez, father of Mrs. J. Troconis, Mrs. F. N. Wadsley, Lupe, Ernestina, Ramon, Antonio, Manuel, Julian and Celso Lopez, aged 71 years. Funeral at San Gabriel Mission Church, Sunday. Funeral notice later.

FAURB—In this city, January 21, 1904, Charles Faure, a native of France, aged 58 years and 5 months. Funeral from his late residence, No. 249 Allen street, Sunday, January 24, at 1 p.m., thence to the Plaza Church. Interment New Calvary Cemetery.

COWHAM—January 22, at 2 p.m., at the residence of F. W. Cowham, south of city, Neil Cowham, aged 2b. Remains will be taken to Oshkosh, Wis., for burial (Minnesota and Wisconsin papers please copy.)

GOFF—In Los Angeles, January 20, 1904, George W. Goff. Funeral at Breese Bros., Broadway and Sixth, Saturday, at 10 a.m.

M'COT—At 2121 South Main street, January 21, 1904, Isaac McCoy, aged 75 years. Funeral charged from Breese Bros. to Vincent M. E. Church, 119 East Twenty-sixth, Sunday, at 2 p.m.

HUTCHISON—Mrs. C. V. Hutchison at her residence, 1425 Mitchell Place, Thursday, January 21. Funeral services at Evergreen Cemetery, at 2 p.m., Sunday, January 24.

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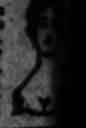

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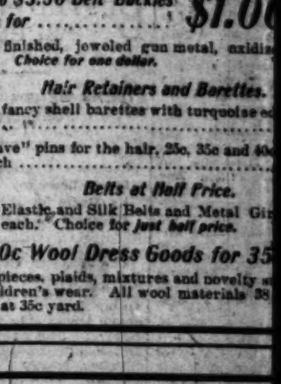

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YESTERDAY'S "CARMEN."

Bloody Murder in Choppers' Camp at Inglewood, Result of a Woman's Coquetry—Margarito Rios Arrested for Killing Manuel Grijalva.

AN AIRY Carmen of the Inglewood tree choppers saw her lover stabbed to death at the door of her tent yesterday by her Don Juan—the old lover cast aside the day before.

Margareto Rios, the murderer, had basked in her love for two whole blissful days. Then his handsome kinsman, Manuel Grijalva (the murdered man) came to work at the Inglewood wood camps. The faithless Caterina loved him with a hotter fire.

It was a tragedy as simple as death itself.

Catarina Lopes coquetted with two, and the end of her coquetry was the pathetic figure of Grijalva, very still and white, under a table cloth in her tent, a gaping, vicious knife thrust to the heart. The knife had been sunk to the hilt and skewered round in rage.

The end of her coquetry was a furtive, hunted figure of a man dodging over the hills, he knew not where.

As the car bearing the Times reporters to the scene rolled down through the Inglewood hills, the murderer could be seen stopped on a hillside, turned in terror to watch lest the very trolley cars should leave the track to pursue—a hunted man more pitiable than the other.

Officers went in pursuit from Inglewood, and the man was arrested later at Clearwater by Deputy Sheriff Wilson, and lodged in the County Jail.

And Catarina, the Carmen of the story? Catarina wept a little, laughed a little, coquetted a little with those to whom she told the story. A creature of a thousand moods. A veritable Carmen.

"Oh," said Catarina, with eyes flashing with animation. "I had lived with Rios for two days, but along came Manuel, and no longer my heart was open for Rios."

It was thus that she picturesquely told the story.

But, oh, shades of romance!

She said she didn't like Rios very well, anyway, because he wasn't nice to her two little children.

He told her when she bade him go away and leave her that he would return and kill her or her new lover, or both.

And yesterday he did it at the choppers' camp at Neff's ranch, two miles south of Inglewood.

Catarina had her love nest there, in which she entertained first one lover then the other. It is a 10x8 army tent. In the same tent live her two children and Juan Grijalva, cousin of the dead man, and his wife.

Margareto Rios came back to his vengeance yesterday about 2 o'clock. With him was Martin Grijalva, cousin to the dead man and brother to Juan.

All were at the typical Mexican occupation of "hanging around."

Handsome Manuel Grijalva was standing idly by a tree, without a thought of his danger.

Juan Grijalva's young wife was the first to see the pair skulking a detour around the tent. She flew at them in a fury, because Rios had been talking about her in gossip.

"Come here," she screamed. "I want to see you." She poured a torrent of abuse at him in voluable Spanish.

Martin Grijalvo stepped forward to menace her. "You can't call down my brother-in-law," he said.

What a clever Mexican ruse that was!

As the woman flew from Martin to the protection of her stalwart husband by the tent pole, Rios leaped like a tiger at the unsuspecting Manuel standing by the tree watching the row.

With one sickening grunt, he plunged a big butcher knife in the man's side up to the hilt and tore it round in the wound.

Catarina, the faithless, saw it, and flew for her own life. Rios looked after her as she ran, but advanced with his bloody knife at Mrs. Grijalva, who, he thought, had helped on his rival.

At her husband's coming out of the tent, however, Rios turned and ran away toward the electric car, the drawn bloody knife yet in his hand.

Manuel, the stricken man, turned and fled wildly across the plowed field with the instinct of a wounded animal. Fifty yards and his legs began to give under him and he fell in a heap. His cousin, Juan, ran out to him.

"Are you much hurt, Manuel?" he asked.

"I guess I am pretty bad," said the dying man.

He got to his knees himself and then to his feet with Juan's help.

Stabbed to the heart, he managed to walk all the way to the tent and threw himself wearily on the bed. In five minutes his form stiffened in a convulsive agony and Manuel was dead.

Fickle Catarina mourned over him and called him her Manuelito and begged him to speak to her, but it was of no use.

He was a splendid-looking man, 25 years old, of perfect proportions and a fine, striking face.

The appearance of the wound, which the women had tried to tie up with an old towel, indicated that the knife had gone straight through his heart.

Rios evidently hid in a zanja. When he was seen afterward running away over the hills, it was two hours after the stabbing. His clothes had the appearance of earth stains.

Mexicans are not good at being fugitives. He got tired running away and went home to Clearwater at last.

The Mexicans claim not to know why Martin Grijalvo should have come down with him to help with the killing. Martin hung around the chopping camps for some time afterward, and at last skulked away.

By a curious coincidence, Juan Grijalva came down on the same electric car with them from the city yesterday and walked down to the tent almost by the side of them, not speaking, however. He came directly to the tent, whereas they made a wide detour until Mrs. Grijalva saw them.

There was another witness to the killing.

Manuel's own brother, John, saw him stabbed. He was idling near the tent at the time. Juan Grijalva—the cousin—is usually known also by the American equivalent, John, but has been called Juan throughout to avoid confusion with John, the brother.

John took the first car to Inglewood, where he notified Coroner Trout, who sent his deputy, Mr. Summerfield, to the scene. John then came on to the city and notified the father and mother of the dead man.

Catarina says Manuel was a good man. "Not like the other," she said. "Little Manuelito was so good to my children. He did not even say swear words.

"We had lived together two days. He said soon he would earn money enough and we would rent a house in Los Angeles."

If Manuel had any such serious intentions about the pretty, fickle Catarina, perhaps Rios did him a kindness after all.

His body was brought to Breese Bros.' undertaking parlors, where an inquest will be held today.

THE "CARMEN" OF THE TRAGEDY AND THE MURDERED MAN.

MURDERER LOCKED UP.
CAUGHT UNDER A BED.

At 11:30 last night the big jail doors swung shut on Margarito Rios. Probably he never will breathe the free air again.

He is a little weazened runt of a man, very slim and short, weighing but 103 pounds. He is 25 years old.

They are a queer lot, these Cholos. It was the murdered man's uncle who tried to shield Rios from the officers.

Rios was utterly exhausted when caught at Clearwater. He had run all the way from Inglewood, a distance of eighteen miles.

He was hounded like a jack rabbit all the way. Deputy Sheriff Joe Sepulveda hired a team at Inglewood and gave chase, although several hours behind. The pace was so tremendous that he had to change horses twice.

He traced the man's course on account of his habit of running pigeon-toed. He said that for miles the trail went by great leaps, showing the furious run for liberty the man had made. Rios kept off the road as much as he could, skirting the edges of the trees. At times the trail slowed down to a walk, as though he had been completely overcome; then it would start again on the run.

From Los Angeles, Deputy Sheriff Harry Wilson and Deputy Constable Adams went down with a double team. They arrived not long after the fugitive.

They went first to the house of his father-in-law, Jesus Grijalva, uncle of the murdered man.

Jesus swore that Rios was not there and had not been there. He recommended that they wait around or come back in the morning. Something about his manner was suspicious. The officers decided to investigate.

Adams went to one of the neighbor's houses and Wilson to the other.

Wilson tackled the house occupied by Tom Valenzuela. It is a sort of house on wheels.

Valenzuela was very gruff. He said he had never seen the man and ordered the officer out into the road. Before he could get into the house, Wilson had to draw a revolver and poke it into the man's face. He then went through the little wheeled shack, pulled Rios from under a bed and immediately clapped handcuffs on him.

The Mexican did not try to fight; he said little or nothing about the tragedy. Once he was pressed for an answer and said that he killed the man. He said that Manuel had struck at him first. This being denied to his face, he shrugged his shoulders and did not bother with any further explanations.

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His love of adventure and need of a vacation now led him to the Pacific Coast, with the intention of going north to Point Barrow on a vessel to bring back oil from the whaling fleet. His plans for the northern trip were knocked on the head because he stepped to preach in a Presbyterian Church in San Francisco.

From this church he took charge of a Congregational Church in San Francisco. In speaking of this Mr. Jones said last night:

"I found at this period of my life, that my views were changing, and I gave up my pastorate and went East again in May, 1879. In September of the same year I was recommended to the Unitarian Church at Louisville, Ky."

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It is too far ahead to make a feint at who will be Mr. Jones's successor, and it was not intended that the resignation should become public property until some months had been spent in quietly seeking the right man.

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Bloody Murder in Choppers' Camp at Inglewood, Result of a Woman's Coquetry—Margarito Rios Arrested for Killing Manuel Grijalva.

AN AIRY Carmen of the Inglewood tree choppers saw her lover stabbed to death at the door of her tent yesterday by her Don Juan—the old lover cast aside the day before.

Margareto Rios, the murderer, had basked in her love for two whole blissful days. Then his handsome kinsman, Manuel Grijalva (the murdered man) came to work at the Inglewood wood camps. The faithless Caterina loved him with a hotter fire.

It was a tragedy as simple as death itself.

Catarina Lopes coquetted with two, and the end of her coquetry was the pathetic figure of Grijalva, very still and white, under a table cloth in her tent, a gaping, vicious knife thrust to the heart. The knife had been sunk to the hilt and skewered round in rage.

The end of her coquetry was a furtive, hunted figure of a man dodging over the hills, he knew not where.

As the car bearing the Times reporters to the scene rolled down through the Inglewood hills, the murderer could be seen stopped on a hillside, turned in terror to watch lest the very trolley cars should leave the track to pursue—a hunted man more pitiable than the other.

Officers went in pursuit from Inglewood, and the man was arrested later at Clearwater by Deputy Sheriff Wilson, and lodged in the County Jail.

And Catarina, the Carmen of the story? Catarina wept a little, laughed a little, coquetted a little with those to whom she told the story. A creature of a thousand moods. A veritable Carmen.

"Oh," said Catarina, with eyes flashing with animation, "I had lived with Rios for two days, but along came Manuel, and no longer my heart was open for Rios."

It was thus that she picturesquely told the story.

But, oh, shades of romance!

She said she didn't like Rios very well, anyway, because he wasn't nice to her two little children.

He told her when she bade him go away and leave her that he would return and kill her or her new lover, or both.

And yesterday he did it at the choppers' camp at Neff's ranch, two miles south of Inglewood.

Catarina had her love nest there, in which she entertained first one lover then the other. It is a 10x8 army tent. In the same tent live her two children and Juan Grijalva, cousin of the dead man, and his wife.

Margareto Rios came back to his vengeance yesterday about 2 o'clock. With him was Martin Grijalva, cousin to the dead man and brother to Juan.

All were at the typical Mexican occupation of "hanging around."

Handsome Manuel Grijalva was standing idly by a tree, without a thought of his danger.

Juan Grijalva's young wife was the first to see the pair skulking a detour around the tent. She flew at them in a fury, because Rios had been talking about her in gossip.

"Come here," she screamed. "I want to see you." She poured a torrent of abuse at him in voluable Spanish.

Martin Grijalvo stepped forward to menace her. "You can't call down my brother-in-law," he said.

What a clever Mexican ruse that was!

As the woman flew from Martin to the protection of her stalwart husband by the tent pole, Rios leaped like a tiger at the unsuspecting Manuel standing by the tree watching the row.

With one sickening grunt, he plunged a big butcher knife in the man's side up to the hilt and tore it round in the wound.

Catarina, the faithless, saw it, and flew for her own life. Rios looked after her as she ran, but advanced with his bloody knife at Mrs. Grijalva, who, he thought, had helped on his rival.

At her husband's coming out of the tent, however, Rios turned and ran away toward the electric car, the drawn bloody knife yet in his hand.

Manuel, the stricken man, turned and fled wildly across the plowed field with the instinct of a wounded animal. Fifty yards and his legs began to give under him and he fell in a heap. His cousin, Juan, ran out to him.

"Are you much hurt, Manuel?" he asked.

"I guess I am pretty bad," said the dying man.

He got to his knees himself and then to his feet with Juan's help.

Stabbed to the heart, he managed to walk all the way to the tent and threw himself wearily on the bed. In five minutes his form stiffened in a convulsive agony and Manuel was dead.

Fickle Catarina mourned over him and called him her Manuelito and begged him to speak to her, but it was of no use.

He was a splendid-looking man, 25 years old, of perfect proportions and a fine, striking face.

The appearance of the wound, which the women had tried to tie up with an old towel, indicated that the knife had gone straight through his heart.

Rios evidently hid in a zanja. When he was seen afterward running away over the hills, it was two hours after the stabbing. His clothes had the appearance of earth stains.

Mexicans are not good at being fugitives. He got tired running away and went home to Clearwater at last.

The Mexicans claim not to know why Martin Grijalvo should have come down with him to help with the killing. Martin hung around the chopping camps for some time afterward, and at last skulked away.

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There was another witness to the killing.

Manuel's own brother, John, saw him stabbed. He was idling near the tent at the time. Juan Grijalva—the cousin—is usually known also by the American equivalent, John, but has been called Juan throughout to avoid confusion with John, the brother.

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Catarina says Manuel was a good man. "Not like the other," she said. "Little Manuelito was so good to my children. He did not even say swear words.

"We had lived together two days. He said soon he would earn money enough and we would rent a house in Los Angeles."

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He traced the man's course on account of his habit of running pigeon-toed. He said that for miles the trail went by great leaps, showing the furious run for liberty the man had made. Rios kept off the road as much as he could, skirting the edges of the trees. At times the trail slowed down to a walk, as though he had been completely overcome; then it would start again on the run.

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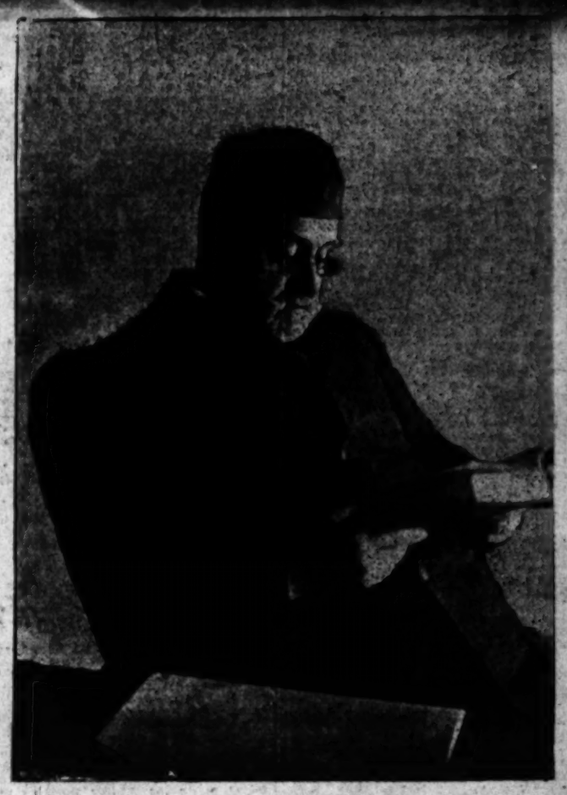

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The newest one is the resignation of Rev. C. J. K. Jones, who for five years has been pastor of the Church of the Unity.

At the last meeting of the trustees, Mr. Jones tendered his resignation, to take effect next September. His relations with Unity Church have been of the most pleasant character, but he asked to be relieved of his pastorate in order to devote himself to expert horticulture, of which subject he has made a close and practical study for twenty years. There was nothing for the trustees to do but accept.

Mr. Jones does not intend to leave Los Angeles, where he has been recognized as an entertaining preacher, a man of broad education and of extensive reading. During his ministry he has not only had time to study horticulture, but also read law and was admitted to the bar. He is at present one of the directors of the Los Angeles City Library, having been appointed by Mayor Snyder in May, 1902, a member of the Archeological Institute of America, being on the executive committee of the Southwest Society, and is a member of the Sunset Club.

From his earliest boyhood Mr. Jones has led a very busy life. He was a husky lad of 16 years, in Brooklyn, N.Y., when the Civil War broke out and soon found his way into the United States Navy, where his efficiency won for him a position as petty officer on board the steamship Newberne.

At the close of the war he entered Rutger's College at New Brunswick, N.J., and graduated therefrom as "third honor" man in the class of '70. He first preached in a Congregational Church at Orient, L. I., then in Warren Memorial Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn; next come two years in the Congregational Church at Nantucket, Mass., and a like period over the Congregational Church of New Bedford, Mass.

His love of adventure and need of a vacation now led him to the Pacific Coast, with the intention of going north to Point Barrow on a vessel to bring back oil from the whaling fleet. His plans for the northern trip were knocked on the head because he stopped to preach in a Presbyterian Church in San Francisco.

From this church he took charge of a Congregational Church in San Francisco. In speaking of this Mr. Jones said last night:

"I found at this period of my life, that my views were changing, and I gave up my pastorate and went East again in May, 1879. In September of the same year I was recommended to the Unitarian Church at Louisville, Ky."

In 1898 Mr. Jones came to Los Angeles and took charge of the old Church of the Unity, on the corner of Third and Hill streets. Two years later he successfully carried through the plan for building the present handsome church on Flower street, of which he still has charge.

It is too far ahead to make a feint at who will be Mr. Jones's successor, and it was not intended that the resignation should become public property until some months had been spent in quietly seeking the right man.

Mr. Jones will at once, upon his retirement from the ministry, take up more energetically the study of the insect enemies of the fruits of Southern California, though he now had a most comprehensive knowledge of the subject, and has in progress experiments looking to the extermination of

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Board of Public Works yesterday referred to the City Attorney for an opinion the petition of the East Ninth-street residents asking for transfer privileges.

The Committee on Legislation decided yesterday to submit to the committee of the whole the request of Adams-street residents for an extension of the conduit district.

The Gold Roads Mining and Exploration Company has begun suit against George Kislingbury, the mining expert, to recover $25,000, which it is alleged he took as a rake-off when the property was purchased.

Palmer Bigelow is in the curious position of having lived in bigamy for twenty-two years, and for the larger part of the time didn't know it. Now he wants to comply with the law and is in court to have the marriage with his last wife annulled.

Louis Cohn was arraigned in the Police Court on the charge of receiving stolen property.

AT THE CITY HALL.

TRANSFER WAR GROWING WARM.

CITY ATTORNEY ASKED TO GIVE OPINION.

Board of Public Works Listens to Arguments from Residents of East Ninth Street Who Have Hopes of Seeing a Universal Transfer System.

Universal transfers are the hope of the enthusiastic backers of the movement to secure transfers from the East Ninth-street line, operated by the Pacific Electric Railway Company, to the lines of the Los Angeles Railway Company. Before the Board of Public Works yesterday they declared that all sections of the city would join with them in demanding the transfer privileges.

It is their belief that the principal stockholders in the three city street-car companies are so nearly identical and the interchange of trackage so marked that the Los Angeles Railway Company, the Los Angeles Traction Company and the city lines of the Pacific Electric Railway Company must exchange transfers in all parts of the city.

Attorney Emmet H. Wilson assured the board yesterday that the East Ninth-street residents had never offered to compromise with the railway company in any way. He said that H. E. Huntington had said during the interview with the Citizens' Committee that he might do with them as he had done with the citizens of Garvanza and build another road.

"We told him then," said the attorney, "that we had no authority from the East Ninth-street people to consider any such proposition."

The attorney then renewed his argument, made in the Council Chamber last Monday, that under the franchise the Pacific Electric Railway Company, as assignee of the Los Angeles Railway Company, must grant transfers to the latter's lines and vice versa. The transfer clause reads as follows:

"Provided further, that said grantee and his assigns will issue to and receive from the present line of street railway located on Mateo street and Santa Fé avenue and all other lines of street railway in said city operated by said grantee or his assigns, transfers good for continuous single trips thereon in said city."

The East Ninth-street franchise was granted to James C. Kays in 1897 and by him assigned to the Los Angeles Railway Company.

Attorney Wilson said there was an evident tendency on the part of the Huntington companies to cut the city in two in such manner that a citizen to cross it would be compelled to pay two fares. He thought the northern end of the city would be given over to the Pacific Electric Company's urban lines and the southern and northwestern sections to the Los Angeles and Traction companies.

He said the Ninth-street franchise was for street cars and that the Pacific Electric Railway Company was organized as a railroad and had no right to run street cars. Although operating cars over a street-railway franchise he said the Pacific Electric company refused to stop its cars for passengers when running toward the city.

T. J. Hampton and H. E. Thompson of the Citizens' Committee appealed to the members of the Council to stand by the citizens instead of by the railway company.

C. L. Badendeck thought the Pacific Electric Railway Company was operating its cars by sufferance and that H. E. Huntington was making the mistake of his life by refusing to hear transfers.

F. G. Hentif read from the Code of Civil Procedure to convince the City Fathers that transfers must be issued to and from the East Ninth-street line. He said the lack of transfers was depreciating the value of property on the street.

In the end the question was referred to the City Attorney with a request that he render an opinion to the board next Friday.

McAleer declared that the board would do whatever was recommended by the City Attorney and Chairman Nofsiger said the same thing. Hampton wanted some action right away which led Nofsiger to remark that between the people who kicked and the corporations who ignored, the Councilmen had a pretty hard time of it.

Nofsiger said he could not be in the city on Monday and that therefore the report would not go to the Council on that day.

Hampton said he was not sure whether his absence would be regarded by the East Ninth-street people as a call for sympathy or congratulation. After some further repartee the transfer question was dropped for the time being.

ABANDON PROCEEDINGS.

It was decided to abandon proceedings for the opening of Hoover street between Seventh and Pico street and to institute new proceedings to open the street between Seventh and Gage street and between Carondelet and Pico street leaving out the block of land belonging to Clark & Bryan between Gage and Carondelet streets. On San Pedro street and in other cases of a similar kind the Council has refused to abandon proceedings unless the protestants would pay the costs to which the city was put; but yesterday the board made the recommendation without saying a word about the costs which aggregate several hundred dollars. For the sole benefit of Clark & Bryan and in opposition to the wishes of many other people in that section of the city the board proposes to put the city to a needless expense that may run into the thousands of dollars.

FORFEITS STREET WORK.

The Board of Public Works voted yesterday to abandon proceedings and reject all bids on several streets where Fred McLellan was the lowest regular bidder. Street Superintendent Werdin discovered that McLellan was a horse jockey who is not familiar with street work, that J. B. McCombs, one of the bondsmen, was related to C. L. McCombs, a contractor, who has been declared an irresponsible bidder, and that Joe Moore, a bondsman, could not be found in the city. On this showing he asked the board to reject the bids.

POLE NUISANCE.

CITIZENS ON WARPATH.

Residents of West Adams street are on the warpath because of the numerous poles and wires that have been placed along that beautiful street. They recently presented a petition to the Council asking that all wires on the street between Main and Hoover street be ordered underground and a hearing was given by the Committee on Legislation yesterday morning.

Attorney Charles Cassatt Davis and R. W. Poindexter, head of the Citizens' Committee, briefly addressed the Councilmen. They declared that the beauty of the street was greatly damaged by the pole lines, that the companies cut and slashed the trees without regard to the protests of property owners and that, if the reputation of Adams street as a beautiful drive was to be preserved, some official action would have to be taken at once. They asked that the Council include that portion of Adams street covered by their petition in the conduit district.

Letters from other cities, including Washington, Chicago and New York were read to the Council's committee. These letters stated that the conduit districts had been extended in those cities through the best residence sections. In Washington no wires are allowed on top of the ground along permanently improved streets.

"Such conditions as prevail in this city would not be tolerated in an eastern city for a minute," declared Attorney Davis.

The attorney said the Adams-street citizens had been conferring with the representatives of the companies for over a year, but without obtaining any redress whatever.

"We are absolutely helpless unless the Council comes to the rescue," he declared. "No other city in the United States would allow such lines of poles and wires as exist on Adams, Hoover, Pico, Ninth and other streets. The cost of conduits cannot be very great as the Home Telephone Company voluntarily extended its conduit system many blocks outside the conduit district.

The value of the old trees that now line Adams street was commented on and the attorney read from a letter written by the City Electrician of Washington to the effect that in that city no wires were allowed to run through the trees which are the pride of the Capitol City. In Chicago last year the companies were compelled to place about forty miles of wire underground and it was shown that in that city the Council had for several years forced the telephone and lighting companies to expend large sums of money in the construction of conduits to replace the pole lines.

Mr. Poindexter said that the residents of West Adams street had formed an association for the purpose of improving and beautifying the street, but that it was useless to attempt anything unless the Council would order the poles to be removed.

"The appearance of the street has suffered greatly of late," he said. "The residents of Adams street between Main and Hoover, nearly everyone of whom has signed that petition, stand ready to resurface the street, to plant trees and to prevent further retrogression of the street that has for years been one of the show places of the city. All this we propose to do at our own expense, but we are determined not to waste time in a vain attempt to combat the ravages of the linemen who ruin our shade trees or to make other improvements until some relief is afforded us in this respect."

Councilman McAleer said he did not wish to be radical, but that it was only a question of time until all the wires in the city would have to be placed underground. He moved that the petition be sent to the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of devising some plan whereby the wires could gradually be placed underground all over the city. This motion prevailed.

ROW OVER JANITOR.

The absorbing question of who should do the janitor work at the City Jail occupied the time of the committee until long after the noon hour. Chief Elton and Jailer Shand and Patrol-wagon Driver Johnson appeared to explain the misunderstanding regarding the removal of Ed. Burgoyne, who formerly had the position.

At the time Burgoyne was removed the position of City Jail janitor was abolished and Officers Shand and Johnson were each given $15 increase in salary with the understanding that the janitor work was to be done by trusties under their control. It was found that this plan would not work and Burgoyne was reemployed by the Chief at the request of Councilman Davenport. The Finance Committee refused to pay Burgoyne's demand and the hearing yesterday resulted.

It was brought out that Shand and Johnson both have extra duties to perform about the jail; that they work much longer than eight hours a day, and that in mechanical lines they have saved the city many hundreds of dollars. Chief Elton stated that Officer Stephenson, retired, was willing to do the work for $45 a month. Stephenson is not able to walk a beat, but he can superintend the trusties who are detailed to do the janitor work as well as anybody.

The committee finally voted to recommend the setting aside of $45 a month for janitor service and to continue the additional payment of $15 a month to each of the two policemen.

Highly-prized Medals.

City Assessor F. W. Wismer is in possession of the highest mark of distinction conferred by the Independent Order of Foresters. Only 100 men in the whole world can possess these medals at one time and there are now but five in the State of California. The order has a membership of 300,000 and the medals are highly prized. The medal was voted to Mr. Wismer by the High Court held at Chico in 1901 and he was personally decorated by High Chief Ranger Oronhyatekha at the High Court held at Stockton last October. The decoration consists of a Maltese cross set in a gold wreath and marked with the insignia of the order and a jewel in the form of a nine-pointed star which is worn pendant from a neck ribbon.

Hill's Body Exhumed.

Permission was granted to Salem Charles by the health department yesterday to exhume the body of "Charles Hill," the old miser who died and left a fortune of $142,000 for numerous spurious widows to fight over. The body was taken from the grave in Evergreen Cemetery to the undertaking parlors of Orr & Hines and there prepared for shipment to the old home of the Charleses at Brimfield, Mass. The body was interred in the local cemetery May 17, last, and it presented a grim spectacle yesterday. Practically all the flesh had wasted away leaving only the blackened skin and reddish hair upon the emaciated frame. The "Hill" fortune was productive of more widows than could be counted on the fingers of both hands, but Mrs. Gertrude Driggs who contended that Charles Hill was at one time a member of a band of counterfeiters and that he then made a pencil will in favor of her daughter, Grace, was the only one of the many claimants who had a good "run for the money." The circumstances of her suit and subsequent trial for attempt to bribe a juror are fresh in the public mind. Mrs. Laura Hill, who asserted a claim to the title of "the only genuine Charles Hill widow" got into the County Jail in attempting to secure the fortune, but that was as near as she got to ostablishing it. The money has been paid to the Charleses, the body of "Charles Hill" will be shipped East today as the last step in one of the most sensational chapters of of local court annals.

Electric Signs.

Action was postponed one week on the petition of merchants asking permission to place approved electric signs above the sidewalk in such manner that they could be swung out over the walk at night and back against the walls of the buildings in the day time. The advocates of the swinging signs made much of the fact that such signs are permitted in all the large Eastern cities.

The Municipal Art Commission submitted a letter in which it was declared, much to the surprise of some members of the committee, that from an artistic standpoint no objection could be raised to signs, properly designed and placed, that would outweigh the advantage to be gained from the increased illumination.

At the request of McAleer members of the Municipal Art Commission will be requested to appear at the next session of the committee. Farish cited the fact yesterday that the city had spent a year in getting the old signs off the streets and said he thought it would be a bad thing to take a back track on the sign question.

Bull Ordinance.

Davenport's famous measure for the exclusion of bulls from the cow districts of the city went through with a rush yesterday. Owners of male bovines will have thirty days to move their stock across the borders of the cow districts.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

RAKE-OFF ON THE OPTION.

SUIT AGAINST MINING EXPERT KISLINGBURY.

He is Alleged to Have Made a Good Thing Out of Gold Roads Property at the Expense of His Partner.

Some sharp practice marked the early organization of the Gold Roads Mining and Exploration Company, or to be precise, occurred prior to the formation of the company, and when the property was in financial embryo. Now Oliver P. Posey has brought suit in the name of the company against George Kislingbury to have the matter straightened out.

Kislingbury is a mining engineer and expert of long experience, and William Bayly of this city has been on intimate terms with him for years past. It is alleged that while these two friends were talking one day the engineer remarked to Bayly that he had done so much experting for others that he thought that he would like to own a good mining property of his own, or in which he had a personal interest. Right there a bargain was struck. Bayly told Kislingbury that if he would look around and find the property he would find the money.

The conversation adverted to took place in August, 1901, and it is averred that in the following month Kislingbury obtained an option of purchase on the Gold Roads group of mines in Mohave county, Ariz., from Joseph Burkhard and Byron Erkenbrecher for $250,000. He took the option to Bayly, and told him that he had found a real good thing, explained the entire proposition to his friend, and convinced him that the property was a valuable one, and offered a great chance for development. He also explained particularly that he was sure that $250,000 was the bedrock figure at which the purchase could be made, and of this, too, he succeeded in convincing Bayly.

The next step was an agreement that was drawn up between Kislingbury and Bayly for the option to be taken at the figure named, and while Bayly furnished the necessary capital Kislingbury was to give his expert knowledge and experience. The property was to stand in Bayly's name, but he was to deed a one-tenth interest to Kislingbury when the purchase was completed, or the company that was contemplated should be organized.

The deal went through all right, and Kislingbury got his one-tenth interest. But in course of time Bayly, it is said, discovered that his old friend Kislingbury, while claiming that the group of mines could not be obtained for less than $250,000, as a matter of fact, had a private agreement by which he held the option for $225,000. By that time Kislingbury had disposed of his one-tenth interest in the property for $15,000, though it is alleged that it is worth very greatly in excess of this amount.

The present suit is brought to recover from Kislingbury the $35,000 out of which it is alleged he defrauded the company.

A SMALL WONDERER.

CHARLEY BETHEL WAS TIRED.

Charley Bethel is 9 years old but doesn't look it. He is fat as butter, and as guileless looking as flaxen hair, chubby cheeks, and blue eyes can make him. Last Wednesday night he was picked up on Main street by a Deputy Sheriff, and then his adventurous story came out.

The youngster's parents lived in Colorado and fired by his infant imagination, Charley ran away to be a road agent, kill Indians and engage in all the other delightful things that fascinate small boys. His walked until his little legs gave out and then beat his way—when he could. He was too small to bang on to a brake-beam so "shanks' mare" had to serve his purpose most of the time.

Charley got to Albuquerque all right and then started out to cross the barren desert waste, and was picked up about half way across by a couple of miners who found him in bad shape for lack of food and water. Returning to Albuquerque his new friends handed Charley over to a woman who promised to look out for him while they were away. But she taught him to beg if nothing worse, and when his self-appointed guardians returned they took Charley away from the woman and after some difficulty discovered the whereabouts of the boy's father. A ticket was sent for him to return home, but Charley didn't want to go back and again ran away, finally landing in this city.

When Charley stood up beside Judge Wilbur yesterday his head was scarce above the edge of the desk. And he was very tired. Regardless of the august presence of the court the little chap yawned and stretched himself, and then tried to rest by leaning over the bench. Thrice the court had to tell Charley to straighten up, but it was no use. Then he was ordered to the brand new Detention Home, and he will be in court again a week hence.

SECURES DIVORCE.

HUSBAND WENT TO ALASKA.

Mrs. Carrie H. Thompson was granted a divorce from Leonard Thompson by Judge York yesterday, on the ground of desertion.

Thompson was at one time City Tax Collector and his wife was connected later as an officer with the State school at Whittier. About three years ago Thompson went to seek fortune in the Alaskan gold fields, and has neither shown an intention to return or sent funds for the support of his wife.

TOO MANY WIVES.

BIGAMIST AND DIDN'T KNOW IT.

Palmer Bigelow wants his marriage with Elizabeth Bigelow annulled, and he is before Judge York in order that the court may make a good job of the annulling.

The petitioner says he was married to Elizabeth Bigelow in San Francisco in 1882, and has remained married ever since, or for twenty-two years.

But prior to that San Francisco marriage, Bigelow says that he had legally linked his fortunes with another woman, name not given, who is still living and from whom he has never been divorced. It being self-evident that a man has to observe some order in the manner and method of holding his wives, Bigelow has applied to have the last marriage annulled.

It is alleged that at the time he married in 1882 he had been led to believe that he had been divorced from his first wife, but there was a slip in the information conveyed to him, and for that reason he is going to see to it that he is not made to trip again.

In the meantime it does not appear what his wife for the last twenty-two years thinks about it.

The case was not finished yesterday and went over.

COURT NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

SARAH GOES UP. When 16-year-old Sarah Thompson was told by Judge Wilbur yesterday that she was to go to Whittier she beamed, smiles broke over her face and she said she was glad. Sarah is the girl who said she suffered from too much stepmother, and whom the Advisory Committee discovered had an aptitude for falsifying and was unable to keep any position obtained for her.

THE FIRST CASE. The first case under the new probation law in its application to young criminals came before Judge Smith yesterday. J. Haas pleaded guilty to burglary in the second degree but sentence was suspended and he was committed to the charge of Attorney George P. Adams, as probation officer. This is a new role of many filled by the attorney, but he was appointed inasmuch as he had undertaken the defense of Haas, who is under age.

HOME PURCHASING. The Home Purchasing Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $25,000, fully subscribed. The directors are: Walter R. Hay, C. M. Hay, J. B. Powers, S. L. Powers and T. S. Knowles, all of Los Angeles.

DEVELOPMENT COMPANY. The Development Company of Los Angeles has incorporated with a capital stock of $150,000, of which $500 has been subscribed. The directors are: Fred Barman, John A. Pirtle, Max Goldschmidt, Warren Gillelen and S. M. Newmark, all of Los Angeles.

THE INFEHIOR COURTS.

COHN'S BARGAIN IN DIAMONDS.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLAR RING FOR TWO BITS.

East First-street Second-hand Dealer Sees Big Profits in Thief's Spoils and is Pinched for Receiving Stolen Goods.

An alleged diamond deal with a prospective profit of about 100,000 per cent. for Louis Cohn has resulted in trouble for that thrifty individual. Cohn is a denizen of the East First-street Ghetto where second-hand goods are bought and sold, but is at present quartered in the City Jail.

Cohn was arrested yesterday on a charge of receiving stolen goods. He was employed as general roustabout in a second-hand store on East First street when he committed the alleged offense. It appears to have been a little speculation of his own; at least his employer did not come to his rescue with the $2000 bail demanded by Justice Austin.

It was a juvenile criminal that led Cohn into temptation, the police say, and the boy, too, is in the City Jail, but charged with a less serious offense. Clarence Gemmill is the youth who is responsible for Cohn's dilemma.

Gemmill is an incorrigible newsboy who was recently before the Juvenile Court charged with misdemeanor. He manifested penitence and was committed to the custody of Mrs. Alice Costello of Duarte on probation. Mrs. Costello hoped to reform the boy by giving him a good home and kind treatment. But the lad abused her confidence by rifling her purse and making way with several dollars in cash and a diamond ring valued at several hundred dollars.

Young Gemmill came to Los Angeles with his spoils and spent the money. The ring, he alleged, he sold to Louis Cohn for 25 cents, just about one-thousandth part of its value. The boy, not knowing the value of the ring, says he offered it to Cohen for $1, but was Jewed down to two bits by the wily Hebrew.

Mrs. Costello reported her loss to the Los Angeles police and detectives who were set on the track of the young thief, soon picked him up and secured a confession from him.

The boy did not know the name of the man who purchased the ring from him, but he pointed him out to the police and Cohn's arrest followed.

Cohn denies his guilt and the ring has not yet been recovered. The detectives are convinced that he could dig up the plunder if he had a mind to, and if this had been done he probably would not be prosecuted. The prisoner was arraigned before Justice Austin yesterday afternoon and had his examination set for next Monday.

Young Gemmill will be returned to the Juvenile Court and will probably be sent to Whittier. The lad's mother is in an insane asylum, and he says his father is at San José. Being left on the streets to shift for himself, he drifted into crime at an early age.

"PULL" DIDN'T WORK.

"DAV'S" FRIEND FINED.

I. L. Butler, the Wall-street (Los Angeles) capitalist who raised such a roar on account of not receiving prompt attention when sent to the Receiving Hospital Thursday night for treatment of a slight scalp wound received while intoxicated, was very meek when arraigned in the Police Court yesterday afternoon. Butler boasted of his pull with Councilman Davenport at the time of his arrest, and he was going to have the whole police force fired for the "outrage" perpetrated on him. But he seemed to have changed his mind when he got sober. Justice Austin fined him $5 and released him on his own recognizance while he went to the bank to get the money. Butler returned in due time with the coin and liquidated his fine without a murmur. Councilman "Dav" did not appear in court to intercede for his constituent.

Another man with money in the bank and boasting the friendship of a man of vast wealth and influence in the community sat in the prisoner's dock among a motley bunch of drunks and bobos, but his powerful friend did not appear in court to bail him out of the jag cell. This unfortunate prisoner was Charles G. Goff of Santa Monica. Patrolman W. E. Smith alleges that Goff was sleeping off a jag on the sidewalk when he picked him up, but Goff pleaded not guilty and demanded a jury trial. He changed his plea, however, when he learned that he would have to stay in jail nearly a month, or give heavy bail, before he could be tried by a jury. Justice Austin let him off with a fine of $3 or three days on his amended plea. Goff offered his check on the Bank of Santa Monica, but the court wouldn't accept it. He had no ready cash but said Capitalist Frederick Rindge would bail him out if he could get word to him of his dilemma. He was sent below with the rest of the delinquents.

Happy Hooligan in Real Life.

S. L. Smith, an eccentric old soldier, put up a regular Happy Hooligan defense when arraigned in the Police Court yesterday on a charge of battery. A fair-haired youth with a swollen cheek, testified that he was going along the street with an old soldier friend, when Smith came up and struck him a blow in the face, after which he called for the police. Smith denied that he struck the boy, claiming that the lump on his cheek was caused by toothache, but he admitted that he called on the police to arrest the lad, because he thought he was trying to pick the pocket of his old comrade. Patrolman T. Walker, who arrested Smith, testified that he investigated the case and found that there was nothing in the robbery charge. The boy and the old soldier were the best of friends, and Smith's solicitude for the old man was an hallucination. Justice Austin continued the case until 10 o'clock this morning for the hearing of further evidence.

Smith was arrested some time ago for creating a similar disturbance. The police think he is mentally unbalanced.

Raised a Rough House.

Joseph Johnson, a husky cooper employed by Goldschmidt Bros., was given a sentence of $20 or twenty days by Judge Austin yesterday for raising a "rough house" in Fred Brockman's saloon on Wilmington street Thursday night. Johnson commenced his merry stunt by kicking a friend who was spotting drinks and trying to borrow money of him, out of the saloon; then he sat down and slept off a jag, after which he rose and, without provocation, felled the saloonkeeper to the floor by striking him on the head with a chair. It took four men to overpower Johnson and hold him till the police were summoned. Johnson, on the witness stand, admitted that there had been some trouble, but he could not remember swatting Brockman with a chair. He blames the whole trouble on the bad whisky he had been drinking.

Struck His Mother-in-Law.

John Matheson wants a jury trial on the charge of disturbing the peace of his wife and mother-in-law. Matheson is alleged to have created a fearful row at his home on Ceres avenue, while drunk Thursday night. His wife stood his abuse until he struck her mother, an old lady suffering from heart disease; then she took off her slipper and batted Matheson on the head, cutting his scalp and drawing blood at each blow. Matheson looked as though he had been struck by a cyclone, when he appeared in court yesterday. His trial was set for February 14, with bail fixed at $50 cash or $200 bond.

Wire Thieves Punished.

Two members of an organized gang of copper-wire thieves, broken up by the police a short time ago, will do time on the chain gang for the next 150 days. J. W. Willis and Edward Henderson were sentenced yesterday by Justice Austin, after they had pleaded guilty to the charge of petty larceny. Harry Birdsall, another member of the gang who was arrested at the same time, after being shot in the leg by a night watchman, remains in the County Hospital. He will be prosecuted as soon as he recovers from his wound.

MORE BASEMENT LIGHT.

Unique Scheme Employed in The Times Building for the First Time in Los Angeles.

A scheme which is unique in basement illumination is being employed for the first time in Los Angeles in the construction of the new annex to The Times building. The pieces of glass in the steel frame in the sidewalk are wedge-shaped and project several inches beneath the frame of steel. The shape of the pieces of glass is such that the light from above the sidewalk passes downward through the glass and is refracted and reflected so as to be thrown sidewise into the basement.

By the employment of the scheme a great deal more daylight may be thrown into the basement than would otherwise be possible. A similar method of lighting spaces underneath decks of tugboats and other vessels has been in use heretofore, but the idea is a new one, at least locally, in the construction of buildings.

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THE TIMES MAGAZINE tomorrow will contain a comprehensive article on Radio-Activity and the progress of scientific investigation in the line of physics.

WARM WORDS IN BIG MEETING.

EAST NINTH-STREET RESIDENTS GATHER IN FORCE.

Thoroughly Aroused and May Seek Courts in Transfer Fight—Huntington Charged With Deep Conspiracy—Views of Councilmen.

Residents of East Ninth street crowded by hundreds into the Church of the Neighborhood last night until every seat in the building was occupied and many persons stood wherever they could find room.

It was a mass meeting called to listen to the report of the committee of five appointed to look into the matter of street car transfers and recommend such action as may be necessary to secure the concession.

There was evidence throughout the meeting of much deep feeling. It was apparent from the start that the leaders were determined to keep the assembly within temperate limits, and it was equally apparent that there was need of their efforts in this direction.

The whole tenor of the meeting demonstrated not only the earnestness of the East Ninth-street people in their fight for restoration of their lost transfer privileges, but also that this contest will probably develop along larger lines and include a struggle for universal transfers to and from all city lines using the same tracks.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Emmet Wilson presided, and T. J. Hampton was secretary. Mr. Wilson made a concise statement of the action of the committee of five, appointed by a recent citizens' meeting, and composed of Emmet Wilson, H. C. Thompson, T. J. Hampton, C. L. Bodendeck and J. G. Young.

Mr. Wilson said the committee has had two interviews with H. E. Huntington in which he courteously but firmly refused to grant them any transfer privileges to the Los Angeles company's lines. He proposed, instead, to construct a new line, or extension from the Griffith-avenue line at Twelfth and Stanford avenue, to run eastward on Twelfth street to Tennessee street, thence on Tennessee street to Fourteenth street, and on the last-named street to Santa Fé avenue.

The committee presented its case to the City Council last Monday and it had been referred to the Board of Public Works. This board yesterday conferred with the committee, and referred the matter to the City Attorney for advice on legal points. This official is to give an opinion within a few days, so that definite action can be taken by the City Council at its meeting one week from Monday.

MR. HUNTINGTON'S POSITION.

After the report of the committee, the meeting was thrown open for a general expression of opinion, and Mr. Hampton spoke of Mr. Huntington's proposition to build a new line. He said the committee had informed Mr. Huntington that it had no power to accept any such compromise. They knew residents of the district would be glad to have the new line constructed, but their instructions were to push the matter of transfers on the East Ninth-street line, and that only.

Mr. Huntington said the officers of the Pacific Electric Company, composed mostly of eastern capitalists and entirely separate from the Los Angeles Railway Company, had ordered the latter to cease operating its cars over the East Ninth-street line, and it could only obey. This suggested to Mr. Hampton that the same Pacific Electric Company might also order the Los Angeles Railway Company to cease operating its cars over the Main-street line from Ninth street to First street, and the company would also have to obey this order. The situation, he said, was the same, and the arbitrary action of the Pacific Electric Company placed an element of uncertainty over the operation of every line in the city; for if the precedent of the East Ninth-street line was followed any section could be transferred from one company to another, and original transfer provisions could be ignored.

Mr. Hampton took up the matter of the State law's provisions for transfers when more than one company operates on the same lines for a distance over five blocks, and declared that the only reason the city had not a system of universal transfers was because some man or set of men had not pushed the matter to a legal decision.

FAVORS PRESENT SITUATION.

Dr. W. E. D. Morrison, who owns property at Fourteenth and McGarry streets, spoke in favor of acquiescing in the present situation on East Ninth street and securing the proposed road on Twelfth street, claiming the advantage of two lines would more than offset any discomfort over losing the transfer privileges on East Ninth street.

He declared H. E. Huntington and "Billy" Dunn had made a personal inspection of the proposed route the first of the week and said to him the road would be built immediately if the people would secure the franchise. Dr. Morrison stated these railroad men had also intimated that a spur would be run out Tennessee street to Adams or Washington street to the eastern city limits.

Another member of the Citizens' Committee said Huntington had refused to consider the third-rail proposition for East Ninth street, and declared that this line had too much travel to make this practicable.

H. C. Thompson saw in the plans of Huntington a scheme to make of the Ninth-street line a through road out Santa Fé avenue to Bell, to connect with the Whittier line, and believed that when the new Los Angeles Company's line to Garvanza was completed even the present local cars would be taken off and only through cars would be run, after the connection to Bell was accomplished. This would compel citizens to walk to either the Mateo-street line or the proposed Twelfth-street line if they wanted to get uptown.

Other speakers brought out the fact that the action of the company in taking away the transfers had had a serious effect on the valuations of properties in the district, and one case was cited in which a corner property had fallen $4000 in price from this cause.

OPINIONS OF COUNCILMEN.

The chairman then called upon the Councilmen present to speak, and Mr. Davenport, whose constituents composed the gathering, made a talk in which he counselled calm action, and assured the citizens of his aid in securing what they desired.

Councilman Kern of the Seventh Ward declared: "The laws were made to be obeyed, and if the street-railway companies are not obeying them they must be made to do so. I don't believe you will have any trouble in the City Council in getting what is coming to you."

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"Who is sharing this loss with you?"

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The Southern California Grain Stock Company has branches in San Diego, Fresno, San Bernardino, Riverside, Redlands, Pasadena, Santa Ana, Bakersfield, Santa Ana and Long Beach, and has been operating since 1897. Its main office is at No. 113 Commercial Block.

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BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

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3. The reading was from Isaiah, and carefully chosen to describe Jesus as they were expecting.

He handed the book back to the attendant and sat down to make remarks, they were all in a tense, solemn mood. There were no conflicting opinions, but they were ready for

II.

Considering the Sermon. (Verse 21.)

21. And he began to say unto them, This is this scripture fulfilled in your ears.

It was short, because it was interrupted by two things, by their hostility, which He saw and sought to end, and by their question, asked one of another and of Him, "Is not this Joseph's son?" It was direct, personal, unflinching—a piece of insane folly if He were only a man, nor unselfish since He is divine. They missed that Isaiah meant him, and therefore He, at that moment, possessed by the spirit of God, was sent by Him, and was performing the duties of His office. It was a startling claim and not allowed by His hearers.

III.

Exposing Them. 22-27.

22. And all bare Him witness, and wondered at the gracious words which proceeded out if His mouth. And they said, Is not this Joseph's son? (23.) And He said unto them: Ye will surely say unto me this proverb, Physician, heal thyself; whatsoever we have heard done in Capernaum, do also here in Thy country. (24.) And He said: Verily, I say unto you, No prophet is accepted in his own country. (25.) But I tell you of a truth, many widows were in Israel in the days of Elias, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, when a great famine was throughout all the land; (26) But unto none of them was Elias sent, save unto Sapepta, a city of Sidon, unto a woman that was a widow. (27.) And many lepers were in Israel in the time of Eliseus the prophet; and none of them was cleansed, saving Naaman the Syrian.

While He was speaking they were filled with the smell of His fascinating speech, but when He was through and they began to talk about it, their deeper viciousness showed itself. Quickly they descended the scale into determined sin. First they bore witness to His wonderful power in speech; then they wondered how it could be; then they quickly said: "It is impossible, for He is Joseph's son."

He saw into their minds, knew their decision and why they had taken it, and at once addressed their state of mind. He saw their motive—jealousy. They did not want to think that a neighbor boy of theirs was so much above them, nor that a neighboring city, Capernaum, was so much more favored than their own. As they used to say that a physician should cure himself as well as others, if not first of all; so they would tell Him He ought to minister to His own people, who are a part of Himself, rather than minister to the people of Capernaum. People are also slow to recognize any superiority in men who were brought up with them. Then He tells them that God sends His blessings to the Gentiles, when they need and receive them, rather than to Jesus, Who will receive them even as He gave special blessings to two Gentiles, the widow of Zeraphath and Naaman, the Syrian.

IV.

Furiously Attacked by Them. 28-30.

"(28.) And all they in the synagogue, when they heard these things, were filled with wrath, (29) and rose up, and thrust Him out of the city, and led Him unto the brow of the hill whereon their city was built, that they might cast Him down headlong. (30.) But He, passing through the midst of them, went His way."

Their anger at this impertinent upstart, for assuming to be better than themselves and at the same time putting them down on a level with Capernaum and with Gentiles, in fact, ranking them still lower, knew no bound. They, no doubt, thought God was on their side and they were defending His truth. Their decision was quickly made and it did not take long to jostle Him to the brow of the hill to kill Him. Why did they not succeed? His time had not come. How did He withstand them? He simply lifted Himself in that regal, overawing majesty, from which the soldiers in Gethsemane afterwards fell to the ground and they dared not move another step upon Him and He walked away, while they stood silent with awe and wonder.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

Habitual church-going is certainly one of the grand virtues of Orientals. A Mosiem leaves his customers and his shop wide open, and goes to his mosque on Friday, or at the hour of prayer. An Oriental Christian is accustomed to go to church. Want of good health, or good clothes, or good weather, does not prevent him from attending public worship.—[Howie.

The best guide to the fullness of Scripture is to search it, as Jesus did, as the chart of our own life. In a different way, indeed, from that in which He found His life prefigured there, yet in a perfectly legitimate way we shall find the exact form and image of our own. In precept, in promise, and in example we shall find every deed we shall have to do, every resolution we shall have to form, every turn in life we have to take, laid down; and if we act as it is written, we shall be able to follow up what we do, by saying as He often said: "This has been done that the Scripture might be fulfilled."—[Stalker.

In every age, angered by those bewildering words of ineffable grace (which, in spite of their supernatural beauty, aroused the selfish ego to resentment and resistance,) the multitudes have risen against this lord of the conscience and cast him out. But while they have led Him to the brow of the hill, they have tried in vain to cast Him headlong. Forever and forevermore He has passed through the midst of them, gone His way, and returned again. He cannot be repressed. He will not endure perpetual exile. He is forever reappearing. No matter for how long he vanishes he always returns again.—[Gors.

TRUTHS TO IMPRESS.

(1.) That noble souls feel a special interest in the friends of their youth.

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(4.) That the blessings of salvation are many and inestimable.

(5.) That the claim of Jesus for Himself means insanity or divinity.

(6.) That God blesses those who are receptive, whatever their positions.

(7.) That a selfish religion is always savage.

(8.) That Jesus does for us no mightier work than our faith will receive.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

IF CHRIST CAME TO TOWN.

Terse Comments on the Uniform Prayer-meeting Topic of the Christian Endeavor Societies, the Baptist Young People's Unions, the Epworth Leagues, etc., for January 24: "If Christ Should Come to Our Town."—[John iv, 28-30, 39-42.

By William T. Ellis.

This pharse, "If Christ should come," to a certain place or at a certain time, has been the theme of many a story and sermon. Mr. Stead created a sensation with his pessimistic book on what Christ would find if He should visit Chicago. Dr. Edward Everett Hale offered an antidote in his portrayal of what Jesus would find in Boston. A similar thought underlay Mr. Sheldon's widely-circulated book, "In His Steps." The best of the works of fiction dealing with this fascinating subject of the second advent is Harriet Beecher Stowe's short story, "He's Coming Tomorrow." Many consecrated imaginations have given their powers to the making vivid of this great theme which is to engage the thought of the millions of members of the Young People's societies in their next meeting.

If Christ should come, sorrow would go.

There is a tinge of sensationalism in the topic, "If Christ should come to our town." After all, though, should not religion be made thus particular and definite? If it means anything it should mean the individual. Almost any phrasing or figure is justified which brings the realities of religion home to men.

Whatever would come to pass if Christ should visit our town it is the bounden duty of all Christians to seek to bring to pass at once.

Judgment accompanies Christ. His appearance condemns all that is evil. The wicked cannot abide in his presence. There would be revolutionary changes in our midst if the Son of Man should suddenly appear.

While a personal return of the Lord is expected by all students of the Scriptures, they are all agreed also that He is now with us in spirit; and as truly with us as ever He will be when He comes in clouds of glory. The presence of Christ is the secret of most that is good and pure and worthy in our life today; because He is even now with us making His home in the hearts of His friends, our town is a better place to live in than it ever could be otherwise.

Possibly if were known that Christ was coming to our town tomorrow we should all turn out to hail Him with hosannas, even as Jerusalem greeted Him at the triumphal entry. It is not impossible though, that there would later arise the cry, "Crucify Him! Crucify Him!" For men today have no more love for the personality or principle that thwarts their selfish desires than they had two thousand years ago.

If Jesus should come again as a stranger He would find many hospitable homes to welcome Him because of the spirit of the unseen but beloved Christ which pervades them.

A chorus of sincere and joyous welcome would greet the returning Jesus should He appear in our midst, for the number of those who love Him is greater than the world knows. The deepest desire of many hearts would be gratified by the return of the Savior. An eager, expectant throng would be found crying, "Even so, come quickly, Lord Jesus."

More than ever before the spirit of Jesus is animating the life of the world. It is steadily coming under his dominance, and although still far from perfect, it is more nearly so than it has ever been in the ages past. It would be a source of joy to Jesus, should he return suddenly, to find on every hand, the mighty results of His first appearing.

Churches, schools, hospitals, libraries, charitable institutions and countless Christian institutions and countless Christian homes would be visible signs, found by Jesus, should He return at once, that this old world is steadily conforming to the ideas which He gave it when He ministered in Palestine centuries ago.

Doubtless the returning Christ would be saddened by the sin that He would find in our neighborhood. Perhaps He would be equally grieved by the futility of many of our pursuits. Himself ever animated by an intense purpose, the spectacle of men spending their powers for that which cannot satisfy and cannot endure would cause Him sorrow. Assuredly the presence of that strong, idealistic Personality among men would turn us from many of our vanities.

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 24.

CHURCH OF THE ANGELS, AVENUE 64, Garvanza ave.) Rev. Dr. A. G. L. Trew, vicar. Evensong and sermon, 3 p.m. Bus meets the Garvanza and Pasadena cars at corner of Pasadena and Mountain aves., at 2:45 p.m.

MISSION OF THE CHURCH OF THE Angels, Pasadena and Mountain aves. Services on Sunday, 10th; 7:30 a.m., holy communion; 9:40 a.m., Sunday-school; 11 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.

UNION RELIGIOUS MEETINGS AT THE Simpson Auditorium at 7 and 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills will preach; afternoon subject, "What Is It All For?" Evening subject, "The Religion of Learning. What We Have Learned in the Nineteenth Century, and What We May Learn in the Twentieth Century." The singing will be conducted and solos rendered by the Rev. Charles Pease. 24

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY, SICHEL st., one block north of Downey ave. Rev. Walton Hall Doggett, rector; 7:30 a.m., holy communion; 9:40 a.m., Sunday-school; 11 a.m., morning service with baptisms and sermon; 7:30 p.m., evensong with address. Vested choir. All seats free. Welcome.

THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 15TH and Hill sts. Rev. S. T. Montgomery, pastor. Public worship, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The pastor will give his third illustrated sermon on "Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress" during the evening service. 24

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, FIGueroa and 17th sts. Preaching tomorrow by the pastor, Rev. Frank Dewitt Talmage, D.D., at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subjects, morning, "Language of Action;" evening, "Sinful Worrying."

THE GOSPEL TABERNACLE CHURCH, 327½ S. Spring st.; J. Hudson Ballard, pastor; regular services, Bible school, 2:45 a.m.; preaching 11 a.m.; Young People's meeting, 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Twenty-first street and Estrella ave. Take University car to 21st st. Rev. J. H. Mallows will preach at 11 a.m. "The Third Commandment;" 7:30 p.m. "The Sky Pilot." A story. 24

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 3206 S. Main st. D. A. Wagner, minister. Preaching Lord's Day, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; conference and testimony meeting, 6:30 p.m. Prayer-meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church, South, corner Ninth and Grand ave. Revival services at 11 and 7:30 o'clock and throughout the coming week, conducted by Rev. Roy Palmer.

ST. ATHANASIUS PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL Church, 404 Custer ave. near Temple st., Sunday services, 7:30, a.m. and 7:45 p.m. The new vicar, Rev. Stephen E. Sherman, will officiate.

CENTRAL AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL Church, N. L. Norvell, D.D., pastor. Morning, "Prayer a Working Force;" evening, "Personal Experience." Seats all free. 24

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, GRAND ave. and 24th st. Rev. Charles C. Pierce, pastor. Regular morning and evening services.

VINCENT M. E. CHURCH, 27TH AND MAIN sts. The pastor, Rev. Geo. A. Hough, will preach morning and evening tomorrow. 25

BANK CLERKS' SMOKER.

"Commercial Paper," Sweet Cider and Doughnuts Features of Semi-Monthly Meeting.

The Los Angeles Chapter of the American Institute of Bank Clerks assembled last evening at Chickering Hall, the announcement of a "smoker" drawing out a fair representation of the membership.

Heretofore it has been difficult to get a hearing at these semi-monthly gatherings when the evening was to be devoted to the discussion of a paper, but Secretary Carlton's exercise of guile last evening in substituting a social hour found ready response.

Once assembled, however, an educational feature was sprung in the nature of an address by Assemblyman E. W. Kemp who briefly sketched the history of commercial paper so entertainingly and instructively that the interest of the most indifferent was awakened.

On the side there was an abundance of "good smokes," apple cider, sparkling and sweet, of course; a few boxes of apples and piping hot home-made doughnuts—a typical "down East" buffet lunch.

By way of sandwich a real, dyed in the wool "coon" male quartette sang plantation songs and a pianola spilt the smoky atmosphere with Wagnerian masterpieces.

"Spellbinding" of an impromptu nature was indulged in by several members present, among the number being President W. W. Gibbs, Jr., Secretary D. W. Carlton, A. M. Brown and A. C. Way.

OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE NOTES.

Rev. John Samuel McIntosh, D.D., president of the San Anselmo Theological Seminary and formerly of Philadelphia, addressed the college students and faculty yesterday afternoon. Dr. McIntosh is a powerful thinker and speaker and his informal talk, which resolved itself into a dissertation on the best investment that could be made of one's life, left a strong impression for good on his hearers. Later in the afternoon he was present at a meeting of the Los Angeles Presbytery Evangelistic Committee and at their request spoke on various matters which appertain to the committee and its work.

COLLEGE ITEMS.

Thursday, Prof. Edward A. Warman, a lecturer and authority of national reputation on matters of physical culture and education spoke to the students on a few simple and beneficial methods pertaining to health. Prof. Warman was besieged by the young men of the athletic teams with a multitude of questions on health, hygiene and muscular development.

A. C. Milliken, college secretary of the Prohibition League, was at the college arranging for the prohibition oratorical contests which are to be held between U.S.C. and Pomona, Whittier and Occidental colleges in March.

With the work of excavation for the new hall of letters actually commenced there has come a deep sense of rejoicing over the college in all its departments.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S letter in The Times Magazine tomorrow will present an interview with David M. Parry, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, on Trade-Union Abuses. The Association of which Mr. Parry is the head represents 3000 leading factories and corporations in this country. Every person interested in American industrial conditions will want to read what Mr. Parry says.

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RELIGION.

A Life of Christ.

THE STORY OF THE NAZARENE. By Noah E. Davis. Fleming H. Revell Company, New York.

The publishers of this volume announce that it is "A Layman's Life of Christ." By this we understand, not so much a life of Christ for laymen, but written by a layman. We fail to see what significance the statement has. Some of the most prominent students of the Bible have been for all intents and purposes laymen. We are not such believers in the grace of orders as conveyed by the various Protestant sects to expect that a man so ordained has any superior powers for writing a life of Christ or dealing with any other theological matters. Learning and ability are the sole considerations in matters of scholarship here as elsewhere. That a man is not a preacher is on the whole a good omen in writing a life of Christ, for the homiletical manner is apt to appear too frequently.

Doctor Davis, the author of the book before us, has been for thirty years and more the occupant of the chair of moral philosophy in the University of Virginia. He approaches his theme with the spirit of the believer who would set forth in a clear and straightforward narrative the life of Jesus Christ. He does not take up the critical question as to sources. He writes with an assurance which is rather annoying to anyone who has tried to solve some of the questions arising from a comparison of the Gospels. We have various uncritical conjectures in place of what seems to us would be in better place, confession of ignorance. To mention but one point: We are informed that one genealogy is through the paternal line, the other through the maternal line. There is no warrant, except some patristic harmonizations, for any such statement, and there is no reason that Matthew should be the paternal line rather than Luke, the phraseology on which much has been insisted does not warrant any such distinction. The plain meaning of Luke's genealogy is that it is the paternal line. We would gladly harmonize and would be glad to see any sound and reasonable harmonization, but quietly to assume that it is due to a difference in the parent through whom the descent is traced, as is customary, is decidedly unsatisfactory. In the same way the nature of the meal at which the Blessed Sacrament was instituted is not sufficiently stated. The real difficulties are passed by. Now we contend that such a matter is not written in the historical spirit. It is all very well to keep critical discussion out of sight, but where critical discussion is the only answer to the intelligent student there should be some attempt made to give it. The author professes to avoid doctrinal matter. We regret to say that he appears to have neglected them rather too much in preparing himself for the composition of this book. The Incarnation is not the birth of Christ; it is not associated directly with that event, but with the Annunciation, as can be seen from the collect for the feast of the Annunciation. The Immaculate Conception is a technical term that implies a certain doctrine as to the nature of the blessed Virgin Mary, that she was conceived without the taint of original sin, as well as sinless in her life. To apply it to the miraculous conception of Jesus is a reprehensible, careless use of technical language. The great defect of the book, however, is the manner in which it is written in respect to the imaginative material that connects the incidents. It makes the narrative lively, but it is not in keeping with modern taste. We find this more offensive than the studious omission of doctrinal statements of Jesus. That a great teacher should have his teaching reduced to a minimum for the possible reason that the doctrinal statements might be offensive, which appears to be the case, strikes us as at least curious. Thus in the narrative where Jesus converses with Nicodemus there is no reference to the words of Jesus, but a statement is made about a new birth, and water as the agency of the new birth, or in any way connected with it is lacking. The institution of the Eucharist is accompanied with a statement that it is the sacrament common to all bodies of Christians, but not the slightest attempt is made to show what Jesus probably meant. We are of the opinion that any such way of writing a life of Christ is a failure, not merely from a theological point of view, but from a historical viewpoint as well.

A. A. H.

FICTION.

A Tale of '98.

THE FIREMAN. By S. R. Keightly. Brentano's, New York.

This is a story of the great rising in Ireland in ninety-five. It is a tale that will appeal to all Irishmen and especially to those of the Roman Catholic communion. Further, the interesting novel will have a large circle of readers outside of the Catholic faith, for it is an exceedingly good piece of work. It is, in fact, one of the best of the productions of its author. That is speaking highly of it, for "The Crimson Sign" and "The Cavaliers," not to mention other novels by the same hand, were very readable books and they have not yet dropped from popularity.

We can pass over the excuse for the story that our author gives. We do not care in the least and we do not believe that anyone else cares whether the work is true narrative, as it purports to be, or not. In fact, everyone knows it is not, and we think that this cheap device to arouse interest or give authenticity to the volume is somewhat out of date. The device, however, has in this case little or nothing to do with the story. The story is the thing, and in the present case it is all that we might reasonably desire. We have a picture of the Irish rising against the British forces. The brave attempt that was made to throw off the yoke of those that thought of and used the Irish as inferior beings is the theme. We are let behind the curtain, as it were, and we are shown the methods by which the Confederates strove to accomplish their ends. There is some exceedingly clever character drawing in the novel; we are given first-rate examples of various grades and types of Irish character and all in a manner that will create interest and sympathy for the Irish race. The character of the informer is well done. The characterization has not a flaw in it, and the scene where he meets his death is worthy of high commendation. There is no striving after effect. There is no trick of the literary trade employed and yet the death scene or rather the execution of the spy is done in a manner that moves us far more than many elaborately arranged murders have done. There is little or nothing made of the battle by which the hopes of the patriots are overthrown. This is to be regretted, for the glimpse we have of the struggle leads us to believe that a full description would have been readable. There is no question that Mr. Keightly has the true art of story telling. His books are not particularly deep. There is not much that we should characterize as enduring about them, but as novels we might say that when read they will teach, unconsciously, perhaps, a lesson worth learning.

S. T. D.

About Cowboys.

THE LOG OF A COWBOY. By Andy Adams. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

Whether this is a novel or a bit of biography concerns us little. The work is one of the most fascinating publications of the season. It is brimful of interest; it is bristling with incident; and its movement is as brisk as the life that it depicts. Here we have a novel or a biography that is a real bit of plain life. Here we have no namby-pamby tales of impossible men and women who seem to have but one object in life, and that to make fools of themselves in uncouth ways. We submitted the work to a friend and this is what he said:

"This is a story of a cattle drive, and a cattle drive that has all the earmarks of being Andy Adams's own story. But whether it is or not, I do not care a rap. It has the local color, and it has plenty of it, and what is more the local color is right. It is not of that sort that is put on by those who do not know a coyote from a gopher and who think that alkali water is made of material taken from a can and mixed with spring water and then used to bleach clothes. Speaking of this, I am reminded of a lady who expressed her wonderment that people should be so nasty as to drink 'bleach.' This book has nothing of the usual made-to-order caricatures of plain life. In it there are no maidens forlorn saved by a dashing young cowman with patent leather boots and a silk rope, or as I have seen it written, lasso. Here we have the real thing, the real cowboy as he was and sometimes is and the real life of the plain. Like Andy Adams I am more at home on a horse than an office chair and happier when I am riding the range than taking my ease in a city house. And such a book as 'The Log of a Cowboy' takes hold of my sentiment. I know that what is written is so. The way Adams writes is the way that things were when thousands and hundreds of thousands of longhorns used to be driven from the Rio Grande to the States. We had great times then, and this book tells us much of them. I do not find any love in the book, and I am glad of it, as I am sick of love, I mean the love that most of the books have in them. Here is just a tale of a cattle drive of some men who controlled thousands of cattle for thousands of miles. It is full of adventure. Here we have pages when the life of the men and cattle is in danger; here we have accounts of a clever trick where the Indians were outwitted; here we have a tale of honest work where the waters that threatened to stop the march of the cattle are bridged in a manner that is worth reading. This is a fine story and one that we can stand for."

This is almost verbatim what an old cattle man said after reading the book. We give it as perhaps the best tribute that the work of Adams could receive.

MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS.

The Art of Living.

THE A. B. Z. OF OUR OWN NUTRITION. By Horace Fletcher. Frederick A. Stokes Co., New York.

Do we eat too much?
Can we learn to eat right?
Without loss of enjoyment?
Without care (being a nuisance?
Without social interference?
With assurance of health?
With increase of energy?
With increase of endurance?

The book before us purports to answer all these questions, and to answer them all affirmatively. The first subject that is considered, and indeed the main subject of the entire work, is the proper quantity of food that should be eaten by the ordinary individual under varying circumstances. Luigi Cornaro suggested that all persons in his time ate more than was necessary; most persons ate twice as much as was good for them; and some, who were extravagantly gluttonous, ate ten times as much as was their most economic need; and Cornaro, who was a dissipated wreck at forty, reformed his manner of eating and lived to be a hundred to prove his declaration.

Experiments carried on in this country and in Europe during the past five years confirm the estimate of habitual excess; but fortunately, they have also revealed a natural protection, heretofore unappreciated, available to all, which the care regulate the appetite to suit the real needs of nutrition, and thus avoid the dangerous excess which predisposes to discomfort and disease.

It is of this natural protection that the work before us treats. It is a peculiar book, not very well arranged, and written in a style that is far from happy. It is a book that many persons will not be attracted by. In fact, there is in the cocksureness of the author and the form in which he presents his material, an offensiveness that is repellant even to your present critic, who writes of the work to praise it. All this is singularly unfortunate, for the work is an exceedingly meritorious one, and is filled, with here and there a break, with some of the most interesting and informing data upon the proper method of feeding the human species. The work is well-nigh invaluable at the present writing, for it fills a field that is without sufficient literature, and we are glad to recommend it to all those to whom the lines at the head of this review are, or should be, of interest. Nevertheless, we think that the same matter differently presented would be productive of much greater good than in the present instance.

O. E. N.

The Automobile.

THE MOTOR BOOK. By R. J. McReady. John Lane, New York.

Now that winter has the country in its grip, or at least all but the more highly favored portions of the United States, one might think that the subject of automobiles was not exactly in season. This, however, is not so. Now is the time when those interested in automobiling are making their plans for the next season's pleasures. Well they might at this time, for is not the Automobile Show to be held in New York next week and will not all the automobiling world and his wife be there? Certainly so. Then, too, now is the time when the man thinking of a motor car is casting up his accounts and planning how far he may invest in the most seductive of modern playthings. There is at present that desire for the car that runs into thousands by those whose available cash will not go beyond hundreds. But even if this is the case there is a great deal of sport to be obtained, for there are dozens, we might write hundreds without fear of being accused of exaggeration, of serviceable cars whose cost is well within four figures. In fact, we personally know of five cars at less than $800 that are just the thing for two persons. Our enthusiasm carries us away. We almost forget that this is not an article upon the automobile, but a review of "The Motor Book."

We have read the work before us and what is more we have studied it and with the result that we are able to say of it that within its pages is crowded more information than we had deemed it possible for an author to put in a readable form in such limited space. Although the work is an English one and the point of view of the author is essentially English the work has a wide field and the owner or driver of an American or foreign motor car will find much that will be of service to him. Our author takes up the subject of the construction of motors very fully. He explains clearly and illustrates by means of numerous diagrams the principles upon which motor cars are built and he shows the workings of the various types of machinery in common use. He goes further than this in that we find descriptions that do not apply to cars familiar to the majority of Americans.

Sections of the book are devoted to Driving, Care of the Car, and Temporary Derangements. In the first we have many useful hints, although the matter does not pretend to be a complete guide to the management of an automobile. The pages devoted to the care of the car are helpful and those upon the subject of breakdowns are more than usually instructive.

C. H. F.

Herbs.

THE BOOK OF HERBS. By Lady Rosalind Northcote. John Lane, New York.

The little book before us is one of the series of handbooks of practical gardening published by Mr. Lane and of which perhaps a dozen volumes have appeared already, nearly all of which we have noticed in the course of publication. It differs from the preceding volumes of the series in that it is more a piece of literature than the others. There is comparatively little about the cultivation of the various herbs that are mentioned and there is a considerable amount about the lore connected with the various plants that have been used in the past in connection with food, medicine and perfumery and those which are still used. The book is really a delightful series of little essays upon the various plants and a study of the way in which they have been used. We have examined the book with much pleasure. The practical part of it is perhaps of necessity small. The directions for the various herbs being on the whole very simple and alike. But what is more valuable in our opinion is the interest that the book excites in the various garden herbs themselves and the encouragement that it gives to the cultivation of such. The great defect of our gardens is that they do not contain enough of these very important elements of food, that they fail to supply those flavors, perfumes and garnishes which meant so much in the times past. We have contented ourselves with a few varieties, indeed it is rare to find a garden that contains more than two or three in addition to parsley. The book before us shows how it is possible to raise many other varieties of garden herbs, and does much to stimulate interest in their culture.

A. D. T. W.

OTHER REVIEWS.

(BY A TIMES REVIEWER.)

TEXT-BOOKS.

Greek.

A GREEK PRIMER. By Clarence W. Gleason, A.M. (Harvard.) of the Roxbury Latin School. The American Book Company. Pages, 349. (Price $1.)

The plan of this little book is thoroughly modern, very good in its general features, and especially commendable in some particulars. As the result of classroom experience, it is eminently practical in arrangement, its systematisation of rules simplifying many of the difficult features of Greek syntax. With Prof. Gleason, grammar, moreover, is much more than a mere system of rules; it ranks chiefly as a means to the beauties of Greek literature—an end which, to be sure, all teachers preach, but which comparatively few succeed in expounding. The progressive selections for translation not only include bits from a wide range of Greek authors, but are chosen with admirable discretion, in that they are such as will appeal to and interest the young student. In addition to giving him, insensibly, a conception of the Greek mind and art. An appendix summarizes rules of derivation, changes of consonants for euphony, and changes vowels in inflection, offers tables of pronominal adjectives and pronominal adverbs, of enclitics and negatives, a synopsis of rules of syntax, and a very extensive exhaustive analysis of conjugations. A carefully-prepared vocabulary follows the appendix.

Arithmetic.

NATURAL NUMBER PRIMER. By David Gibbs, S.B. The American Book Company, New York. Pages, 107. (Price 35 cents.)

This primer begins with the simplest ideas of number and teaches the child to count, to add, to subtract, to multiply, and, finally, to divide, entirely by means of pictured objects. An intelligent child might learn the elements of arithmetic without a teacher merely through the interest the pictures excite. Moreover, the book is at once an elementary arithmetic and a reading primer, its lessons beginning with simplest words in very large type, and passing gradually to longer ones. It might very well be recommended as a gift book, a volume suitable for the nursery library, as it is sure to please the eye of the little ones with its clear and simply drawn illustrations. The author of the book is a Harvard Bachelor of Science, and has served as superintendent of schools for Hudson and Groton, Mass., and division superintendent in the Philippines.

A Story Reader.

REYNARD, THE FOX. Adapted by E. Louise Smythe, author of "Oldtime Stories." The American Book Company, New York. (Price 30 cents.)

In this little book the old story of Reineke Fuchs is retold in the simplest language for very young readers, the number of different words in the text numbering but four hundred, although the whole number required to tell the story is over seven thousand. The chapters follow the career of Reynard to his unhappy but deserved end, each chapter including one adventure. The book is well illustrated.

FICTION.

A Story of Revenge.

THE DELIVERANCE. By Ellen Glasgow. Doubleday, Page & Co., New York. (Price $1.50.)

Up to the time of the Civil War, the Blakes, of Virginia, had lived on their ancestral acres, at Blake Hall, for some two hundred years. But the father of Christopher Blake trusted everything in the hands of his overseer, William Fletcher, and the result was that he came out, mysteriously, deeply in debt, while his overseer was observed to have acquired the means to buy up the hall when it was sold at auction. So Fletcher moved into the manor house, and the Blakes into the overseer's cottage, after incidentally, the elder Blake had gone insane and died. His wife, Christopher Blake's mother, who had become blind and paralyzed, was carried into the new abode after an outing, and never knew the difference. For twenty years, the loyal son and daughters kept from the stately old lady the outcome of the war, as well as the loss of the family fortune, and, unstinted in her own little luxuries, provided by the hard toil of loving hands, she believed herself, to the end of her life, surrounded by the three hundred slaves her husband had owned, and living in a seceded Confederacy.

The hatred of Christopher Blake, though, for the rascally overseer who had robbed his father, reduced his sisters to penury, and taken him from his studies and dreams of fame to work in the tobacco field, was a passion that grew with his years. While he by a strange chance saved the life of Fletcher's grandson, the latter's idol, and the lad conceived a great admiration for him, the opportunity for evil was too sweet a temptation; and if in the gradual ruin of the boy, which followed, he took no part whereon a man might lay a finger, he and others knew perfectly well where the responsibility lay. Maria Fletcher, Will's sister, in character the child of her honest and simple mother, with no temperamental kinship with her grandfather or brother, like the latter found Christopher Blake's splendid manhood, his beauty, his physical courage and his honesty good; but Christopher, full of his dominant passion of hatred for all Fletchers, repulsed her first advances toward friendship, and she married a man she did not love and went away to Europe to live. Through much evil she clung to her husband, until he finally lost his mind from dissipation, and died; when, at last, after a year or two more abroad, she came back to Blake Hall. Born after the Hall had passed into her grandfather's hands, she had never heard the story of how he acquired it until after this return.

Will Fletcher has by this time married a characterless, pretty girl, and has been disinherited by his grandfather, who tells Maria of his determination to leave half his fortune to charity, and half, including the Hall, to her; and she at once goes to Christopher to state her intention to return the estate to him when it shall come into her possession. Melted by this act of splendid justice, Christopher finally yields to the long-resisted inclination he feels for the granddaughter of his enemy, and in agony of soul confesses his sin against her brother. Even this, comprehending his temptation, she is able to forgive him, and the two do what they can to rescue the young man. Will, however, has by this time progressed too far along the downward path—a road for which, as is made evident to the reader, inherited tendencies incline him, and maddened by information of his disinheritance, aims a blow at his grandfather with a hammer, and kills him. Filled with fear, he flees to Christopher Blake for help. The latter ships him off abroad and, believing that he himself is the indirect cause of the crime, assumes the guilt and is imprisoned for life. Will, however, after three years, confesses his guilt to a priest, who makes him write it home; and the end of the story is the desired one.

In conception and in general execution, the book is an excellent piece of realism. The study of the Blakes's family life—the fine, pathetic figure of Mrs. Blake, with her dignity and condescension and prim, old-time ideas of feminine and masculine propriety, the few devoted old servants, the work-worn elder daughter, guarding her pretty young sister from the hardships she endures; and Christopher, strong, brave, aspiring, pinned down to farm labor in full view of the prosperity of his father's defrauder—all these are like portraits from life. Uncle Tucker, too. Mrs. Blake's brother, a capable man crippled and made helpless in the war, ought, perhaps, to be mentioned; for he is a favorite with his creator, the author. His determined cheerfulness in the face of calamity, and his deep love of the beauties of nature are continually brought before the reader. Truth to tell, however, determined and unremitting cheerfulness is extremely boresome to most of us; and an insistent incapacity to see anything but the beautiful in the world about one is not simply boresome, but exasperating. Uncle Tucker is therefore pleasing in small doses, but is given the center of the stage somewhat too much.

The handling of the plot, the development of the central motif, the bitterness of the strong and aspiring soul, the outgoing currents of whose ambition are turned back by a great injustice, is good; and if the book fails of greatness, it at least takes high rank in workmanship. It will be deservedly one of the best-selling books of the immediate future.

Among the Toilers.

THE HOMEBUILDERS. By Karl Edwin Harriman. George W. Jacobs & Co., Philadelphia. (Price $1.50.)

Mr. Harriman gives us sketches from a somewhat new territory, in his "Home Builders." The book is one of short stories, for which the Polish settlements of New York furnish the material. The stories are strongly dramatic, full of pathos, with touches of the humor inevitable in the realistic rendering of life of the sort.

Pathetic Poverty.

MY FRIEND, PROSPERO. By Henry Harland. McClure, Phillips & Co., New York. (Price $1.50.)

This is a pathetic tale of a young heir to an English title who is kept by a thoughtless uncle on a beggarly allowance of three thousand a year; and of his love affair with an Austrian Serene Highness, of great wealth. The story is decidedly mistaken by the author for an idyl. Neither of the two young people is aware that the other is of family, and each is nearly but not quite ready to sacrifice worldly considerations for the sake of love. The man fears, however, to ask the woman to share his poverty. Justice, in the shape of an aunt, secures the young heir an increase from three to thirty thousand a year, thus relieving him from his embarrassment, and as he has now glimpsed the lady's crest on a handkerchief, all is well. There may be a class of people in this country who read such books as this; there probably is, since stories in similar vein appear to come out in considerable number, of late years; but it is certainly neither the brawn nor the brain of the nation.

A Study of Madness.

THE WORLD DESTROYER. By Horace Mann. The Lotos-Lincoln Company, Washington, D. C.

No more peculiar piece of fiction has been written than Horace Mann's "World Destroyer." The hero, Edward Milton, who tells the story in the first person, attends an entertainment at which his engagement to Alice Winship is announced, and stands talking with his betrothed, waiting for the arrival of the two fathers, Alice's and his, old friends, when there is a commotion without, and the news is brought in that the older Milton has met with an accident and lies outside, dead. The son faints and falls to the foot of a stairway, injuring his head in so doing; and on his recovery from the illness that follows, finds the world changed; or rather, he now thinks to read the hearts of men as he did not before. His disordered brain connects Alice's father, Phillip Winship, who broke the news of his own father's death to him, with the death itself, and he believes this evidently devoted friend to be a murderer. The confusion with which he further projects his power to read human hearts and his suspicion of them back to the moment just preceding the accident, and not to that of the accident itself, imagining himself as already suspicious of Alice's love and the sincerity of his friends as he stood waiting with her just before the terrible announcement was made to him, is very true to facts of insanity; and the study of the gradual increase of the mental disorder, until, from a figure outwardly, at least, harmless, pathetic and melancholy, Milton becomes a maniac of manifestly dangerous ideas and impulses, and is confined in an asylum, is very realistic. The peculiar play and change of phantasy are well reproduced, and lead to the conviction that the story is really a sketch from life; a sketch made most conscientiously, yet by a novice in the study of brain disease.

The artistic merit of the book is more questionable than its realism. The pathos of madness soon becomes lost in other features to those who are associated with it for any time; that is, there is always pathos in the fact of madness, but seldom in its particular manifestations. The vagaries of insanity do not lend themselves, except occasionally in the incipient stages of the disease, to artistic purpose; and only a few great artists have known how to seize upon the proper psychologic moment for effect and to give this the right setting. It would have to be a supreme genius who should make a piece of art out of a human document in the shape of a study of a single case of insanity taken by itself. And the artist who should produce such a piece of art would need to be sufficiently well read in general facts of brain disease not to be hampered by the particular facts of the case he is reproducing. Mr. Mann is, apparently, at least, not thus versed in the study of insanity, and his rendering of it is too photographic for art.

TRANSLATIONS.

From the Swedish.

SINGOALLA. By Victor Rydberg. Translated by Axel Josephson. The Grafton Press, New York.

While all students of literature will be interested in this book as a rendering of the work of a great Swedish author, it is doubtful if it will appeal to the American public otherwise than as a literary study; the romance of the story, more particularly that of the climax, is too improbable. A work of Rydberg's youth, it bears strongly the marks of a youthful fancy.

The plot, in brief, is this: Young Eriand, son of Riddar Bengt, heir to a castle and a great name, is betrothed to the fair-haired Helena, but falls in love with a dark-eyed vision with which he meets, once, in the forest. He can find no trace of the dark beauty until a year after the first meeting, when a band of gypsies camps on the estate, and he sees her among the women. The two meet, evening after evening, alone in the forest, and when the gypsy band departs, Eriand abandons home and betrothed, and flees with it, as the husband of the gypsy girl, Singoalla, marrying her by gypsy rites. In departing, the gypsies rob a monastery, and are pursued, hot-foot, by Riddar Bengt, his followers, and the monks. Finding that they are to be overtaken, the chief, Singoalla's father, commands that a drug be given Eriand in his drink, then binds him to a tree, and when the pursuers appear, threatens his death if the band are not allowed to depart unmolested, with their booty. Distracted at the danger of his son, Riddar Bengt yields, Eriand is delivered to his father, and the gypsies continue their flight. But the woman who administered the drug to the young nobleman was the mother of a rejected suitor of Singoalla, and the draught she prepared is intended to compass his death. Saved by the skill of the prior, he recovers from a long illness with mind somewhat disordered. The disorder manifests itself chiefly, however, in melancholy and a dimming of the memory of Singoalla. He marries Helena. Some ten years after his adventures with the gypsies, when his little son is just beginning to toddle, there comes to the castle a child of 9, who calls himself Sorgbarn—Child of Sorrow—and announces that he is sent as a pilgrim; for his mother has told him that, if he will serve Eriand—now lord of the castle, Riddar Bengt having died—for a hundred days, a great sin committed by his father will be expiated by the penance, and, moreover, he will find in the forest a treasure stolen from the monastery years before. He is allowed to begin his pious service, Eriand taking a great dislike to him and continually illtreating him. He endures everything meekly, and after ten days finds a part of the stolen treasure. Now he begins also to exert a hypnotic influence over Eriand by night, leading him, each night, to a meeting with Singoalla in the forest. By day Eriand has dim remembrances of these meetings, hates Singoalla and hunts for her to kill her; by night he loves her. Every ten days, Sorgbarn finds treasure. At length the hypnotic influence fails, but Sorgbarn, not noticing the fact, leads Eriand, as usual, to the evening meeting. Eriand kills him with a dagger thrust. The plague is raging through all the region, and Helena dies of it, surrendering her child, at the last moment, to a gypsy woman, who disappears with it into the forest.

Riddar Eriand becomes a monk, and, in company with another brother, seeks a lonely hermitage. Years later, his companion sees a fair-haired youth come from the forest, talk with him, and embrace him. When the boy departs, Eriand returns to his loneliness and peace.

JUVENILE.

A Little Explorer.

CHILDREN OF THE ARCTIC. By the Snow Baby and Her Mother. Frederick A. Stokes Company, New York. (Price $1.20 net.)

A book for children that is also of interest to older people is the account of little Marie Peary's journeys in the Arctic, written by Mrs. Peary, with a number of letters from the small traveler included. The half-tones made from photographs taken in the North are one of the most interesting features of the book, more especially the pictures of Eskimo children—which last, contrasted with the portraits of little "Ah-ni-ghi-to" herself, emphasize strongly the difference of racial types. The print is large, the story of Ah-ni-ghi-to's wanderings simply told, and the book is one that, altogether, will both delight and inform its little readers.

NEW MAGAZINES.

Ainslee's for February presents, as the novelette, "A Natural Divorce," by Elizabeth Duer. Other familiar names among the list of contributors are Cosmo Hamilton, Harold McGrath, Carolyn Wells, Dorothy Dix, Theodore Roberts, Emery Pottle, Alan Dale, Mary Moss, Albert R. Carman, Arthur Ketchum and Charlotte Becker.

Cassell's Living Age of the 18th inst. contains two stories that will appeal to lovers of animals. One is from Blackwoods, the other from Longman's Magazine.

Joseph Pennell has traveled, first with his cycle and later with an automobile, from the north of Scotland to the south of Italy, from the west of Ireland to the east of Russia, from Maine to Louisiana; and has found his experiences often pleasant, always eventful. One of his trips, through the Alps from Paris, on a motor bicycle, he has taken as the subject of an article and sketches for the February Century. The account of his adventures is likely to stir other enthusiasts to attempt similar "conquests." He has much to say of the advantages of the motor cycle.

The Atlantic Monthly's series of papers dealing with some of the phases and problems of modern advertising has an auspicious beginning in the January Atlantic, wherein Prof. Walter Dill Scott, author of the recent notable book on The Theory of Advertising, discusses The Psychology od advertising. Prof. Scott's theory, that the effectiveness of advertising depends upon suggesting to the possible buyer something of the physical sensation which he would derive from the article to be purchased is an interesting one.

The pole of the magnetic needle does not always point to the north. If a captain sailing his ship from New York to Europe should not make due allowance for the needle's idiosyncrasies, he would be more apt to reach the North Cape than his destination. Prof. Simon Newcomb writes informingly about "The Mariner's Compass" in the February Harper's. The phenomena of the needle—its strange changes, not definitely explainable by any known law—form a large and interesting portion of Prof. Newcomb's paper.

PEOPLE AND THINGS LITERARY.

Elizabeth Robins, the author, has recovered her health after some months' illness, and is preparing a book on Alaska, where she has traveled extensively.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward's play, "Agatha," which she wrote in collaboration with Louis N. Parker, has been given a trial performance in America. This is not Mrs. Ward's first venture into the field of the playwright. She dramatized her novel, "Eleanor," and the play was presented in London with some success. Mrs. Ward is now at work on a new novel.

The volume on "The Reformation" in the Cambridge Modern History will be the joint work of many eminent European scholars, including Prof. Kraus of Munich, Stanley Leathes, A. F. Pollard, Rev. A. M. Fairbairn, James Gairdner, F. W. Maitland and Rev. T. M. Lindsay. The Macmillan Company announces the book for immediate issue. This is the second volume in this history, and follows the one on "The Renaissance." The volume on "The United States" which appeared last spring was Volume VII, the first of the second series of this history.

The Bandar Log Press, otherwise "Frank Holme, Incorporated," has issued another work of art from its printery on the desert, near Phoenix, Ariz., where Holme sojourns for the betterment of an ailing lung. The latest is not a reprint, but is original in every phase. It is a small volume, with cover in the similitude of a Navajo blanket and bearing the title, "Her Navajo Lover." The text is by W. H. Robinson, a Phoenician, who has told a plain tale of the Indian as he is when he stoops to servitude under the white man.

Beatrice Harraden's recent novel, "Katherine Frensham," is having a marked success in England, and, indeed, in Europe, it having already been translated in French, German, Danish and Norwegian.

Among Funk and Wagnall's publication announcements for February are: "Sebastopol," by Leo Tolstoi, a new translation by Aylmer Maude, specially authorized by the author, and "Russia Before the Bar of the American People," edited by Isidore Singer, the managing editor of the Jewish Encyclopedia. This is a compilation of authoritative information concerning the Kishineff massacres, accounts of the leading mass meetings held in this country in denunciation of the crime, the history and text of the petition sent by President Roosevelt to the Czar, and much valuable literature, for the first time published in English, relating to the attitude of Russia toward the Jews during the last hundred years.

The late George Gissing left the manuscript of a novel, called "Veranilda" on which he was at work at the time of his death, but whether or not it will be published soon can not be said as it is not yet certain if the romance is complete.

Every now and then, though much less often than in former days, a book comes from the author of "The Wreck of the Grosvenor"—"Overdue" was the last to appear—and so the majority of readers suppose that the famous writer of sea stories still enjoys health and vigor. As a matter of fact, the severe rheumatism which attacked Clark Russell about fourteen years ago, instead of being conquered, has gradually got the writer more and more firmly in its grip, and for a long time he has been unable to put his foot to the ground or had one day free from intense pain. He lives in Bath with his wife and daughters, and one can see him on the street nearly every pleasant day, being propelled in an invalid's chair.

It will be remembered that when Dickens's early home in Portsmouth was put up at auction, not long ago, it was bought up by the town corporation. Since then the place has been completely overhauled, electric light has been installed throughout, and the business of acquiring relics of Dickens for a museum has begun. The earliest gift to include an enlargement of the novelist's last home at Gadshill, Rochester, and a painting of Dickens which the writer liked so well that he had it hung in the room at the Albion Tavern where the historic dinner was held to celebrate the completion of "Nicholas Nickleby." There also will be placed in the house soon a collection of photographs including representations of almost all the British scenes directly connected with Dickson's own life, and those mentioned in his books.

Apropos of the appearance in England of Mrs. Minnie Gresham Machen's book on "The Bible in Browning," published here by the MacMillan Company, an Englishwoman relates the following incident, told to her by Browning himself: A friend of Mrs. Browning, a young girl, had a painful episode in her life. To divert her mind Mrs. Browning urged her to write a tale. She did so, and produced what was mainly her own story. It was successful, and again and again, urged by Mr. and Mrs. Browning, she tried to write another story, but could not. She said: "I have no imagination; give me a story and I can write it up." Soon after, Mr. Browning picked up in a bookstall in Rome an old manuscript (or it may have been an old printed tale.) He [illegible] the very thing, and [illegible] She kept it six months [illegible] it, saying she could make [illegible] it. "About that time," [illegible] Browning, "Story" (W. W.) [illegible] tale. I sent it to him. [illegible] months and returned it, [illegible] would not do—and then," [illegible] Browning, "if you have done [illegible] honor to read 'The Ring and the Book,' you know the story."

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BOOKS RECEIVED.

THE THREE SCHOOLMA'AMS ABROAD. SKETCHES. By William Hamilton M. A. Donahue & Co., Chicago.

PERNICIOUS PORK. By [illegible] lett. Broadway Publishing Company, New York.

TYPO-CULTURISTS. By [illegible] Crawford. Broadway Publishing Company, New York.

LOVE KNOWETH BEST. By [illegible] William Garvin Hume. [illegible] The Gorham Press, Boston. (Price $1.)

FROG HOLLOW POST MAIL. By [illegible] Henry D. Nutt. Richard G. Badger, The Gorham Press, Boston. (Price $1.25.)

VITA. A Drama in Verse. By [illegible] Litchfield. Richard G. Badger, The Gorham Press, Boston. (Price $1.25.)

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CO-CULTURISTS. By Mary Wood. Broadway Publishing Company.
NO KNOWETH BEST. Poems. By William Garvin Hume. Richard G. Badger, Boston.
THE HOLLOW POET BAG. (Price $1.) By D. Mulr. Richard G. Badger, Boston.
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A Drama in Verse. By Grace Fairfield. Richard G. Badger, Boston. (Price $1.25.)

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San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange Counties.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

RICH ARTESIAN WATER STRIKE.

ENOUGH TO SOAK TEN THOUSAND DESERT ACRES.

Valuable Belt Demonstrated and San Bernardino Greatly Interested. Firemen Injured by Explosion of Extinguisher—Dog Follows His Master to Death.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 21—Great interest is aroused here in the encounter of a heavy volume of artesian water on the desert near Rabbit Springs, insuring the stability of the mining industry there, and demonstrating the existence of a strong artesian belt. About 10,000 acres of land can be cultivated. Considerable excitement prevails in the region over the strike.

FIRE EXPLOSION.

Driver George Binkley of the ladder truck was severely injured yesterday by the explosion of a fire extinguisher which he was recharging. The department had returned from a fire in the western division where the extinguishers had been used. As the fluid was being poured into the extinguisher by Binkley it suddenly went into fragments, the fiery contents pouring over his clothing. His overalls and shoes were eaten up and the acid burned his left leg from the waist down. His injuries are of a serious nature and will keep him from duty for some time to come.

A CANINE HERO.

In the fire which destroyed the home of the Mexican family here the other night, burning to death the father and a child, the pet dog of the household met its end while heroically trying to rescue the man. When the fire first started the dog was on the outside of the house, and by his barking aroused the family. The creature tried to prevent its master from returning to the burning building, and being kicked aside, followed after him, where its remains were found this morning. Two of the boys who escaped from the fire in their delirium of excitement never stopped running until they arrived at Warm Creek, into which they plunged, and waded about in the icy water which came up above their waists.

WHERE MAGISTRATE ERRED.

J. J. McGuire, who was recently sentenced to ninety days on the rock pile by the township judge of Needles, for protecting himself with a razor from the attacks of two men who became dissatisfied at his winning their stake in a card game, was released from custody today by Judge Oster. The case came before the Superior Court on appeal. The court held that the committing magistrate erred in sentencing the prisoner too soon after finding him guilty, not giving the man the opportunity to waive time for passing sentence. Ordinarily under such a ruling the case would be returned for new trial, but, fortunately for McGuire, so much time had passed since the trial was completed that the case had passed out of the lower court's jurisdiction, and he was discharged.

OFFICERS DISCHARGED.

It was learned at Santa Fé headquarters today the appointment of John Smithson and Henry Masten, local men, to the police agency of the railroad, has been made to fill the vacancies caused by the discharge from the service of Special Officers A. D. McEvoy and E. P. Banta, located at Isleta, near Albuquerque, who became involved in a serious shooting affray there the other day, McEvoy having fired several shots from a revolver at his fellow-officer intending to kill him. The trouble is alleged to have been caused by Banta showing too much attention to McEvoy's wife. Both men are in jail at Albuquerque.

NEWSLETS.

The directors of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, today petitioned the court for permission to mortgage real estate, for the purpose of raising $2000 for improvements.

The San Bernardina Valley Water Protective Association filed articles of incorporation this morning.

A Chinese inspector from Los Angeles was in town yesterday in search of contraband Chinese, who are supposed to drift here occasionally from Mexico by way of Arizona, entering this State at Needles.

The arbitrators chosen by the city and the property owners across whose land the proposed pipe line from the Antill pumping plant will run, have been unable to agree, and it is very likely that the matter of cost of the right-of-way which the city wants will be carried to the superior court in the form of condemnation proceedings.

Rafael Acosta, son of a wealthy Anaheim family, has been at the county hospital some days in an unconscious condition, having been terribly beaten over the head near Cucamonga, by robbers who secured a small sum of money and jewelry. They left him for dead on the road, where he was found next day by a rancher. Yesterday he was removed on a cot to his home, where he is reported to be in a critical condition.

HIGHLAND.

PACKING-HOUSES SHUT DOWN.

HIGHLAND, Jan. 22.—The packing-houses have been shut down for the past few days owing to the shortage in cars, making the week's shipment lower than usual. It is reported from the auction sale in New York last Thursday that a car of oranges raised by Frank Sewell of East Highland brought the highest price of the day. The Sewell bungalow being erected at the East Highland ranch will soon be completed.

Mrs. Roche and son of Brooklyn, N. Y. have leased the True cottage on Palm avenue. Postmaster True and family having taken possession of their new home nearby.

REDLANDS.

TRADE BOARD COMMITTEES.

REDLANDS, Jan. 22.—The newly-elected directors of the Board of Trade this afternoon appointed as an advertising committee H. L. Graham, C. J. Curtis, K. C. Wells; markets, J. J. Suess, H. H. Garstni, H. L. Graham; health and sanitation, K. C. Field, Henry B. Ely, M. H. Fitzsimmons; hotels, Henry B. Ely, E. C. Judson, F. P. Morrison; land, immigration and agriculture, J. B. Glover, E. M. Lyon, C. L. Clock; law and legislation, F. C. Hornby, K. H. Field, Henry B. Ely; manufacturing, H. P. D. Kingsbury, H. H. Garstin, C. J. Curtis; membership and grievances, C. M. Brown, F. C. Hornby, J. H. Logie; parks, roads and improvements, H. D. Moore, E. G. Judson, A. K. Smiley; railroads, A. G. Hubbard, E. S. Graham, Henry Fisher; reception and entertainment, H. P. D. Kingsbury, F. C. Hornby, F. P. Morrison, E. S. Graham, C. M. Brown, A. G. Hubbard, M. H. Fitzsimmons, E. M. Lyon and K. C. Wells; rooms and exhibit, M. M. Plunney, J. B. Glover, C. L. Cloke; ways and means, Henry Fisher, F. P. Morrison, E. S. Graham, A. G. Hubbard; finance, (special) G. C. Thaxter, J. H. Logie and K. C. Wells.

VOTERS MAKE A NEW CITY.

INCORPORATION OF FULLERTON BY LARGE MAJORITY.

Hundred and Eighty-five to Forty-four the People's Verdict—Twenty Squars Miles and Over Two Thousand Population.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FULLERTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The vote at today's incorporation election was 185 for and 44 against. Every business man and the heaviest taxpayers in Fullerton favored a city government, and as the liquor question was eliminated the result was one-sided. The few opposed to incorporation issued and circulated a circular last night headed:

"If you want a saloon on every corner and bawdy-houses between, vote for incorporation."

This is said to have cost them over forty votes. There is much rejoicing in town. Tonight at 10 o'clock fireworks were in evidence along the main street, and horns were tooted throughout the town. The new city starts with a population of over 2000, and comprises twenty square miles. Following is the vote for Trustees, the first five named being elected: Amerige, 136; Benchley, 129; Chapman, 125; Clark, 132; Gardner, 143; Cline, 60; McDermont, 81; Schumacher, 104; Smith, 96; Stern, 115. For City Marshal, Barnes, 115; Ruddock, 104; for City Clerk, George Ruddock, 150; no opposition; for City Treasurer, J. E. Ford, 173; no opposition.

NAVAL LADDIE DIES IN JAPAN.

EVERETT LAMBERT OF TUSTIN PASSES OUT.

Served Over Two Years on Battleship Oregon and Won Commendation—Parents Orange County Pioneers—Auto Man's Rush Trip.

SANTA ANA, Jan. 22.—Word was received here today of the death at Yokohama, Japan, of Everett C. Lambert, the 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lambert, pioneer settlers of Tustin. The young man was in the United States navy and for the past two years and a half served on the Oregon, being with the vessel on its entire recent cruise in Asiatic waters. He enlisted at the age of 15 and during the three years that he had been in the service had been promoted three tiems, acting as first-class apprentice at the time of his death. His work throughout received commendation from his superiors.

HURRY AUTO TRIP.

E. P. Buss of the Los Angeles Touring Company came to this city Wednesday night to intercept and recover an automobile rented by the company several days before to a young man giving the name of Charles Reid. Reid started from Los Angeles with the machine about a week ago on a tour of the southern part of the State with a woman, whom he represented to be his wife, but who, it develops, is in reality the wife of another Los Angeles man. Reid was located here Wednesday night and yesterday morning was confronted by Buss, with whom he effected a satisfactory agreement for payment of rental for the machine. Reid and the woman who has been posing as his wife left yesterday morning on the train for Los Angeles and the auto was taken back by a driver. Reid's father is represented to be a wealthy resident of the City of the Angels.

NEW GRAND JURORS.

The following list of grand jurors was approved this morning for the current year: M. Nebelung, C. O. Rust, J. W. McKinney, George B. Miller, John T. Dilley, Robert Boyd, Henry Hockemeyer, B. F. Merrill, B. F. Porter, George A. Ruddock, J. N. Bill, W. H. Johnson, O. L. Baldwin, A. T. Cole, John Brush, B. C. Barker, E. W. Canfield, J. E. Meehan, A. S. Bradford, H. R. Bristol, N. N. Brown, W. B. Snow, J. A. Booty, C. B. Lewis, F. M. Gist, R. Moyer, D. B. Thompson, Sidney Holman, H. S. Haseltine, S. R. Herrin. The jury is cited to report for instructions next December.

HERE AND THERE.

Company L, N.G.C., has organized an indoor baseball team which is practicing hard in preparation for a schedule of games with other Southern California teams. Meets are already scheduled with Co. C of Los Angeles, Co. E of Anaheim and Co. H of Wintersburg. The make-up of the local aggregation is: H. Seidel, catcher; C. Head, pitcher; L. Hill, first base; L. Hill, second; Goff, short stop; Elwell, third; V. Walker, left field; Cole, center; Halladay, right field.

Hearing in the appeal of "Doc." O'Connell of Los Alamitos from the verdict of a jury which found him guilty of illegally selling liquor has been set for next Friday.

The High School Athletic Club elected Will Spurgeon captain of the track team, and made preparations to put a well-trained set of men in the field for interscholastic honors. Prof. Martin of the faculty will act as coach. The baseball team is practicing for its first game with the Orange High School on Saturday. The nine is captained by Will McPherson.

Mrs. G. C. Butterfield and Mrs. Grace Freese of Tustin entertained the history and landmarks section of the Ebell Society at the home of the former yesterday afternoon.

Capt. R. W. Osmun of Tustin has purchased thirty acres of orchard land near his home at an expenditure of $21,000. The property consists of the J. A. Smith ranch of twenty acres on First street, bought for $12,000, and the Cartmell ranch of ten acres, for which $9000 was paid.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walkey celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding last night at the gathering of the I.O.O.F. Lodge, of which Mr. Walkey is an enthusiastic member.

Notification has been received by the City Clerk that the bonds for $40,000, recently voted for fire-alarm system, schoolhouse and City Hall, are in due legal form and satisfactory to the successful bidder, the Isaac Springer Company of Pasadena. As soon as the money is available work is to be commenced upon the City Hall and other improvements contemplated in the issue.

A union social of the Young People's societies of the city churches was held Wednesday evening at the First Baptist Church. Musical selections were rendered by an orchestra.

Perkins Bros. shipped a carload of 50,000 rose plants Saturday from their nurseries to Painesville, O. More than 100,000 plants have been sent East this year from the gardens.

Rev. Henry Shallenberger, a retired Baptist clergyman and member of the G.A.R., died yesterday morning at the family residence on Grand avenue. He was 65 years of age and for the past ten years had made his home in Santa Ana. He served for awhile in the pastorate of the Baptist Church of Garden Grove. Four children survive him.

FEAR FOR LIFE OF PASTOR EAKIN.

SUSPECTED THAT POISON WAS USED AGAINST HIM.

Leader of Anti-Saloon Movement Object of Attack—Riverside to Have New Charter—Chinese Girl is Rescued.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 22.—All the sensational features of a dime novel are in evidence in connection with an apparent effort to terrorize Rev. Alexander Eakin, pastor of Calvary Presbyterian Church, who has been a prominent and efficient factor in the Anti-Saloon League fight here.

Rev. Mr. Eakin has his study on the second floor of the church, and some miscreants, evidently intent upon ascertaining what was going on in the study room planned to cut a hole through a partition back of a picture, which would enable a spy to hear conversation from within. By some miscalculation the man detailed for the job cut the hole in the wrong place, and in plain view, and a revelation of the plot resulted. This job was naturally charged up to the saloon advocates, as Pastor Eakin has no other people to fear in this community. Had the plan succeeded, however, little would have been gained, as the meetings of the Anti-Saloon people are invariably held in the parsonage.

A little later another warning was given. This time some would-be intimidator entered the study during the pastor's absence, and shot the ceiling full of bullet holes.

PASTOR'S FRIENDS ALARMED.

The latest attempt to intimidate the pastor, however, is of a more serious nature and has alarmed his friends, who fear for his life. Saturday last Dr. Eakin purchased some beefsteak at a local shop and after the family had partaken of it all became deathly sick. A physician was called who pronounced it a case of poisoning and traced the cause to the meat. In explanation the butcher said the meat was embalmed, a fact that might account for its effect upon the pastor and his family.

In view of the fact that the city is upon the eve of an election in which the liquor question will be an issue, Pastor Eakin's experiences seem to suggest that his enemies are at work in an effort to call him off in his fight against the lawless element.

WANT A NEW CHARTER.

Riverside is to have a new charter. The joint committee from the City Trustees and the Chamber of Commerce held a meeting last evening to begin work on the new project. The executive department was discussed, and it was decided to have the City Council composed of a Mayor, who is to be elected every two years, and who is to have a salary of $1500 per annum, and four Councilmen, who are all to be elected at large, and who are to receive a per diem of $5. The Councilmen are to be chosen from specified wards. The Mayor is to have the power to appoint all subordinate officers and also to remove them, without the concurrent action by the Council. The only exception is to be that of the Auditor, whose appointment is to be confirmed by the Council. This officer to be the book-keeper for the electric-light department and will check the books of all other departments. This would give to the Mayor the power to appoint the marshal, attorney, fire chief and clerk. The latter is to act also as Assessor.

CHINESE GIRL RESCUED.

Tonight Sheriff Nesbit of Monterey county came down and took 13-year-old Gut Har, the little Chinese girl, home. She was kidnaped by a Japanese lover and the couple walked sixty miles to catch a train, leaving the girl's clothes covered with blood, to give the impression that she had been killed. The girl was then dressed as a boy and the pair came to Los Angeles and later to this place. Here they were recognized by the officers and were sent north. A. H. Winn, an uncle of the girl, accompanied Sheriff Nesbit in chasing the pair. It was said that the girl's mother had attempted to sell her to Chinese parties and then the lovers eloped. When assured that her parents would not sell her, she was willing to accompany Sheriff Nesbit back to Monterey county.

VICE-PRESIDENT GIBBON HERE.

This afternoon T. E. Gibbon, third vice-president and general counsel of the Salt Lake road, arrived in his special car, accompanied by Mrs. Gibbon. They were met at Riverside avenue by Wilfred M. Peck, Esq., local attorney for the road, who drove them to the Glenwood Tavern, where they have taken quarters for a few days' stay. Attorney Gibbon is here for the purpose of untangling some of the knotty problems which now confront the new road with respect to getting a right of way over Vine street, to its handsome new depot, which is rapidly nearing completion. Property owners have taken out injunctions in the Superior Court to prevent the Salt Lake people from running trains on that public thoroughfare.

TELEPHONE IMPROVEMENTS.

The fact that articles of incorporation of the Sunset Telegraph and Telephone Company have been placed on file with the County Clerk, gives rise to the rumor that this corporation contemplates erecting a suitable building for conducting its business here. At present it has a monopoly of the patronage, as the Home Telephone Company has thus far failed to secure a franchise.

RIVERSIDE RIPPLES.

Gen. A. L. New, general manager of the Pacific Wireless Telegraph Company, while en route to New York, stopped off here to look up a suitable location for a winter home. He expresses himself as highly pleased with Riverside, and he is therefore going to plan to spend his leisure time during the winter season here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hanna of Hastings, Neb., are here as the guests of Mrs. Hanna's sister, Mrs. E. J. Oatman.

Dr. C. E. Hewitt, who is a member of the Chicago University faculty, is here for a brief stay. He is accompanied by his wife.

James Mills and Silas Masters are back from a trip to the Dale mining district. They report having encountered a big snowstorm on the desert.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Dinsmore, a Presbyterian divine of San José, is spending a few days here. He will address the Y.M.C.A. gospel meeting Sunday afternoon, taking "Contrasts" as his subject.

George C. Watts of Chicago and W. I. Sexton of Columbia, Mo., have arrived to enjoy the tourist season.

ELSINORE.

THE CLAY BEDS.

ELSINORE, Jan. 22.—The Los Angeles Stoneware Company have a gang of surveyors here surveying a route from Alberhil to their clay beds. The company has eighty acres of clay land in that vicinity. Elsinore clay is being used so extensively in recent years and is of such good quality that it is considered only a matter of time when a factory is established for the manufacture of fancy pottery and crockery. In the early days of the colony such an enterprise was started, with good results.

TOURISTS AND INVALIDS.

The number of tourist and invalid arrivals is increasing rapidly and hotels and cottages are well filled.

Arthur H. Green, manager of the terra cotta factory, is here from Pasadena.

W. E. Green of St. Louis is a guest at the Lakeview.

FIND NO TRACE OF RADFORD.

SEARCH OF VENTURA COUNTY HILLS STILL FRUITLESS.

Forest Rangers and Members of Fraternal Brotherhood Keeping up the Hunt—Snow and Cold Tell Against Chances of Finding Him Alive.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Jan. 22.—As far as reported, the search for Harry Radford, the young man lost in the Sespe Mountains since Monday, has proved fruitless. Robert Craig, one of the men who went over into the wild country with a searching party Wednesday night and who spent all of Thursday in the hunt, returned to Ventura today. He reports no trace of Radford. It was snowing when the searching party was at the camp. There was already a good deal of snow on the ground and the temperature dropped very low at night.

Rangers of the Pine Mountain and Zaca Lake forest reserves, under Supervisor Slosson, started this morning from Willett's place to make a systematic search of the mountain ridges.

Radford was a member of the Fraternal Brotherhood Lodge at Oxnard. A searching party will set out from that town, made up of lodge members, this evening to scour the mountains for the missing man.

Ernest Franklin and Ray Jewett will leave here for Sespe Hot Springs tonight. Franklin was with Radford three weeks ago and came out on account of the cold weather.

It is believed that an accident befell Radford and that he later succumbed to exposure. There is considered little chance for Radford being found alive, even if nothing happened to him in the way of an accident. He had been gone four days up to Thursday night. He had no provisions with him. The mother and sister of the young man are almost distracted. It is feared that in case of death the body will be found in a mutilated condition.

H. C. Radford, father of the young man, is in the butcher business at Dawson, Alaska.

FIGHTING THE SQUATTERS.

Lady Frances Broome of Santa Barbara is in the courts again, this time in Ventura county, where she owns the great Guadalasca rancho of over 22,000 acres. Lady Broome is campaigning against the 'squatters," who, her attorneys say, have set themselves down right in the heart of her broad acres and threaten, unless evicted, to absorb the choicest of her holdings. A year ago Lady Broome had a passage at law with squatters on her ranch and she was non-suited. Then there were not more than a half dozen defendants. Now there are fifteen defendants, which shows so large an increase in the number of persons wanting 160 acres of her ranch, that she has come to the conclusion that there is danger of her ranch being overrun and absorbed.

The defendants in the present case are Andrew Caweiti, Samuel N. Johnson, W. T. Brown, Norton Swanson, William Colbeck, Charles Hoff, Albert M. Elliott, Charles Frey, J. J. O'Brien, Ernest Hartman, Albert Guthrie, Albert W. Frey, Roy Hartman, William Cockerill, M. Cockerill.

There was a little side skirmish in the case yesterday when Under Sheriff Reilly went to the ranch and placed an attachment upon 250 head of cattle belonging to Hartley Sprague and which were supposed to be feeding upon the ranch of Roy Hartman. The attachment was levied at the instance of Lady Broome, who wants to clear up the ranch so that it may be turned over to the Donlon brothers, who have leased it for their stock, but as the Sprague cattle were getting into the lands claimed by the settlers on the ranch, they were generally glad to see steps taken to curtail their depredations.

The squatters on a previous occasion made a pretty strong fight against eviction, and it is supposed they will just as bitterly contest every step the lady may take this time looking toward driving them off.

GETS A MEDAL.

Charles H. Sheldon of this city has received from the Legislature of New York, in his native State, a medal in honor of his participation in the battle of Gettysburg. Accompanying the medal were three handsomely-bound volumes of "New York at Gettysburg," a history of the memorable battle and of the regiments and individual members thereof from that State taking part in the battle.

A NEW system of telegraph has been invented in Germany by which marvelous speed is attained. It will be described and illustrated in The Times Magazine tomorrow.

TRAGEDY IN HIS ROMANCE?

Charles E. Allen Disappears from City of Mexico.

Los Angeles-Santa Ana Man of Charmed Career.

Engaged to Marry Daughter of Gov. Mercado.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FULLERTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A tragic end to the brilliant career of a young Southern Californian in Mexico is suggested in the mysterious disappearance of Charles E. Allen from the City of Mexico. Allen, who is about 37 years of age, is the son of John R. Allen, a prominent orange grower here, who was for many years a well-known contractor in Los Angeles county. Mr. Allen last heard from his son about two months ago, since which time all letters and telegrams of inquiry addressed to him have remained unanswered. The father now entertains the gravest fears for his son's life, and believes that he may have died suddenly, been murdered by robbers, or fallen a victim to some conspiracy against his life by those, who were jealous of his popularity in social and official circles.

ROMANTIC CAREER.

The facts of young Allen's remarkable career read more like a romance than real life. He was born in Los Angeles and was educated there and in Pasadena. He could speak Spanish fluently. About nine years ago he went to Mexico, believing in the great opportunities there for a young man of his natural aptitude and resourceful qualities. He settled in Morelia, the capital of the State of Michoacan, and was soon moving in the highest business and society circles and enjoying the friendship of Gov. Mercado. As a result the Governor placed Allen in charge of the State's electrical work and appointed him to a responsible military position, which did not interfere with his other duties. About a year ago Allen became engaged to the Governor's daughter, Ernestina, a charming and titled young woman, but the date of the wedding was indefinitely set so that he could establish himself in business meantime. Six months ago Allen left Morelia and went to the City of Mexico, where he formed a partnership with Seth E. Dyer to conduct a contracting electrical business, and the new firm was prosperous from the start.

HONORED BY GOVERNOR.

But Gov. Mercado found Allen's services indispensable, and offered to give him entire control of the electrical work of the State and the management of the Reform School, and to appoint him government military inspector. Allen accepted this tempting offer and was to assume his new duties at the beginning of this year. Then followed his unaccountable disappearance. John R. Allen, the father, states that in his son's last letter, which was written two months ago, the missing man did not mention whether he had disposed of his business interests in the City of Mexico prior to proceeding to Morelia, capital of the State of Michoacan. Young Allen has regularly written to his father every week and promptly answered all letters.

NOT A TRACE.

Since the strange stoppage of his letters all efforts to locate him, either by letter or by wire, or through his partner, S. E. Dyer, have proved fruitless.

The father has twice visited him in Mexico and found that his son was well known, moved in the best society, and enjoyed the esteem of influential business men and high officials. The lack of news concerning him is therefore the more perplexing and his prolonged absence following his acceptance of Gov. Mercado's invitation to return to his old scenes of rapid promotion and high position contains an ominous meaning. Mr. Allen believes that his son is dead, although he cannot assign any direct cause for that belief. The elder Allen has been a widower many years, and should the news come confirming his worst fears it will be a terrible blow to a father to whom an only son has been the comfort of his declining years.

Young Allen is estimated to be worth at least $15,000, mostly in money.

OXNARD.

CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLY.

OXNARD, Jan. 22.—The candidacy of Col. J. A. Driffill for Assemblyman from Ventura county, subject to the nomination of the Republican County Convention, is announced. Col. Driffill is the manager of the American Beet Sugar Company's factory at Oxnard, and is interested in almost every prominent business venture in Oxnard, being vice-president of the Bank of Oxnard, president of the Colonia Improvement Company, which controls the electric light and water systems, member of the Board of Directors of the Patterson Ranch Company. He is also Master of the Masonic lodge and prominent in other secret organizations.

Harry Radford, who is reported lost in the Sespe, was formerly of Oxnard.

The Castle Oil Refinery will resume operations February 1.

Miss Jessie Burnett, teacher of English and history in the High School, has been called to San Francisco on account of her mother's death.

Miss Mamie Friedrichs, daughter of F. J. Friedrichs of Hueneme, one of the wealthiest ranchers in Ventura county, has taken the vows of a nun at the Pico Heights Convent, Los Angeles.

A general strike was ordered yesterday by the local Barbers' Union in the Cooksey barber shop. The men received written notice to this effect through the mails when they reported for duty at 8 o'clock, and six union men obeyed the command and quit work. The others disregarded the threat of a $20 fine if they refused to leave their chairs, and remained.

Several quietly tore their notices into small pieces and went to work. In less than an hour the place of every striker was filled, and the full complement of twenty barbers was at work as if nothing had happened.

The Cooksey shop is now a full-fledged "open shop." Among its workmen are ten union men who are no longer in good standing by reason of the fine standing against them because of their refusal to obey the strike order. The other ten barbers are non-union men.

Mr. Cooksey yesterday received many congratulations from business men in Los Angeles and Southern California places, commending the stand taken by him in declaring an "open shop" and asserting his independence.

RADIUM PLENTIFUL SOON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Announcement recently made at a meeting of the Technology Club that radium had been extracted from American ores has brought from Prof. Alexander H. Phillips of Princeton University, who conducted the experiments, the statement that this latest discovery by scientists will soon be so plentifully produced in the United States as to be within easy reach of all branches of science. The ore used in the experiments came from Utah.

A New Wrinkle, (No. 2.)

Brown Soup Stock

Three tablespoonfuls of Armour Extract of Beef, 3 quarts cold water, one sprig marjoram, one bay leaf, spoonful pepper, 2 sprigs parsley, 4 cloves, carrots, ½ bay leaf, turnips, 2 sprigs thyme, onions, 1 tablespoonful salt, celery, 2 tablespoonfuls of butter

Melt the butter, add the onion and brown; then add the vegetables to cold water; cover and cook slowly one hour. Rub the Extract to a smooth paste with a little cold water, stirring until it is entirely dissolved. Add more salt and pepper if necessary. Cool as quickly as possible. This stock is used for a number of soups and sauces. Can be kept in considerable quantities and kept in a cool place until it is all used.

Above is taken from edition de luxe "Culinary Wrinkles" (No. 2 out) which will be sent postpaid to any address on receipt of a metal cap from jar of Armour's Extract of Beef.

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An interview with David M. Parry, President of the Association of Manufacturers, in which he shows how defy the Constitution and the laws. By Frank G. C.

RADIO-ACTIVITY.
A glimpse at the progress of scientific investigation present attainments. By St. John Day.

BUSINESS IN PANAMA.
An explanation of present conditions with relation enterprise at the Isthmus. By Frederic J. Haskin.

RAPID TELEGRAPHY.
A description of a new system employed in Germany marvelous speed is attained. By G. P.

WORLD'S FAIR POSTAGE.
The kind of stamps the nation's factory is now pouring out. By Waldron Fawcett.

SIR WILLIAM ALLAN.
The remarkable career of a former blockade runner a member of the British Parliament. By C. B.

PORTO RICO'S RAILWAY.
Natives startled by the first train across the island.

MIRACULOUS "SPIRIT CURES."
A Belgian lad of 16 years attracting great attention Europe. By J. E. Whitby.

THE GENIAL IDIOT.
He discourses on the revival of the Troubadour Kendrick Bangs.

JAPANESE IN AMERICA.
How they are adopting American methods and work way into prominent places. By a special contributor.

TO SPARTANIZE SOLDIERS.
The new physical culture system for the army described. By John Elfreth Watkins, Jr.

A FLASHLIGHT EXPERIMENT.
How a Los Angeles man took his own photograph Scott Chase.

THE AVIARY IN THE GARDEN.
How bird songs and flowers may be jointly enjoyed makers. By Belle Sumner Angier.

CONVENIENT KITCHENS.
Arrangement of them by which domestic problems plified. By G. P.

THE CHARMS OF ABOUKIR.
A description of a place of beauty known mainly the son's victory. From the London Post.

UNCLE SAM'S BLIND WARDS.
Provision made for their education and entertainment United States. By W. H. F. Beckham.

POVERTY IN JAPAN.
Disclosure of a degree of wretchedness little suspected slums of Tokio. From the London Mail.

THE TRAMP OF THE SEA.
How the magician played with the waters and counted the London Mail.

WOMAN AND HOME.
Children in Fashion—Royal Fancy Work—Up-to-date How to Make Tamales, etc.

The Juvenile Times

The young readers of The Times will be specially interested who were the winners of the prize puzzles of last week will be found on the second page of The Juvenile Times. The children will also be interested in the new many delightful short stories and attractive pictures this magazine.

Mrs Gussie Packard Du Bois will entertain the young esting and valuable information about Rembrandt and artists.

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THE APPEAL

Minor Change on the

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. stated today at Southern Pacific quarters that General Passenger of Oakland will succeed chanic French, who has ferred from Bakersfield to tion.

Los Angeles County: Its Cities and Towns.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

...AMBLING SCARE IN PASADENA.

...LEY-SHOP" CLOSES AND ...SPECULATORS TREMBLE.

...ement of Roses Directors to ... Banquet and Wind up Af... Financial—City Taxes Be... Delinquent This Evening.

...ADENA: Office of The Times, ... South Raymond Avenue, Jan. ... There was some consternation ... stock speculators about noon ... when it became noised about ... Southern California Grain and ... Company, at the northeast cor... of Orange and Fair Oaks, had closed ... on account of heavy losses. A ... was posted on the boards of the ... rooms at about 11 o'clock to the ... that the place would close im... but that all losses would be ... They always say the same ...

...Southern California Grain and ... Company has branches in nearly ... towns of consequence in South... Arizona, and it is understood ... that all will close, the main ... in Los Angeles having shut up ... There is no Sheriff's at... or anything of the sort here. ... Reeves stated that he hoped ... business here again. Stocks ... "lower than they belonged" ... number, as one local finan... terms it, and of late, as hap... usually at this time of year, they ... undergone a considerable rise. ... company decided that it could not ... to rise, and so closed in order ... bills may be paid before it ... may be stamped. That is the ... story.

...W. H. Reeves of the Pasa... said last night that the ... will settle all its claims, but ... future is undetermined. He ... will be no big losers locally. ... speculators are trembling.

PARADE AFFAIRS.

...mittee of the Tournament of ...sociation will meet at Hotel ... on Tuesday evening and en... ...ement through the courtesy ... D. M. Linnard, one of the ... On the course will be served at ... and immediately afterward ... Boynton will submit the ... report, showing what may be ... to apply on the balance due ... Tournament Park. Sec... Thomas said last night that he ... Association will be enabled ... the park and turn it over to ... Alberto planned, provided ... Electric keeps its promise ... good work with a donation ... toward the fund. Huntington ... promise two years ago and ... last year. There is there... argument to believe that it ... be had. The plan is to incor... the association, make the park ... by and then take a lease ... the Tournament purposes.

DELINQUENT TAXES.

...is no home delinquent this ... of the clock. A good many tax... do not understand this, think... last day of delinquency is the ... being in the month, but it is ... The Tax Collector Cambell re... that tax collections yester... amounted to something over $14,... ($16,000) was taken in from ... on the day before. On ac... the rush the office force is ... to work nights. There are ... aggregating $25,000 at present due ... Boynton, but it is expected ... whole amount will flow into ... Collector's office with the rush ... seems to happen during office ... today.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

...Reitz, the eight-year-old ... of Joseph Reitz of Chester ... and Pasqual streets, was accident... ...the breast last Sunday while ... home from church. The wound ... serious one. The shooting is ... to have been done by care... ...

...Mrs. C. ... entered El Morera, ... boarding-house at No. 158 ... avenue Thursday night ... surprised by Mrs. Rasey be... she can plunder. Mrs. Rasey ... one and a chase was made ... corner, but the latter decided ... to at the place. ... are looking for Leon Huff ... employed at Austin's bakery ... Fair Oaks avenue. Huff ... suspected of having stolen ... Joe Halaa and his brother ... at Austin's. Huff was ... by the men and disap... about the same time that the ... appeared from the Halaa's ...

...meeting of the Pasadena ... Association will be held on ... when new officers will be ... an attempt will be made ... increase the membership, as ... is needed for improve... ...

...ment of The Polytechnic, ... little paper, yester... to the school, through ... boards, a fine silver lov... to be competed for by the ...

...M. Pullman of Chicago, ... with servants, car... horses to spend the winter ... South Orange grove avenue, ... of George H. Barker, ... rented. Mrs. Pullman ... private car and is accom... by mother, Mrs. Sanger. ... and teachers of the ... Church Sunday-school en... annual banquet Thursday ... and thirty being present. ... F. Mills, the well-known ... is to speak at 7:45 ... evening of the coming ... Universalist Church. ...

...Paper carriers. Times Office, ...

...materials at Wadsworth's. ...hammock for picture framing. ...for window shades. ... 46 No. Los Robles. ...delicate peppermints at Skil... ...

...ve and steel die stamping at ...

...the fox terrier dog belonging ... home of 716 Hull street, has ... She offers $100 reward ... which will lead to the ... conviction of the guilty per... ...

...rooms at Park View Ho... Beach. ...

SAN DIMAS.

NEWS BREVITIES.

SAN DIMAS, Jan. 22.—The first an... meeting of the stockholders of the ... Co-operative Association ... today, the secretary's report ... a profit of 25 per cent. for the ... a dividend of 7 per cent. cash ... stock and 4 per cent. on pur... stock declared, the balance go... reserve fund. As directors ... were D. C. Teague, president; ... Bowring, vice-president; Frank J. Johnston, secretary; E. M. Wheeler and E. O. Thompson.

S. L. Gross joined a party of Eastern capitalists yesterday on their way to Mexico to investigate, and possibly purchase, a tract of 50,000 acres of mining land, which is offered at 30 cents an acre.

Ross Gore has gone to Lincoln, Neb., where he will enter the University of Nebraska and take a course in mechanical engineering.

Mrs. L. A. Knull of Long Beach, but a former resident of San Dimas, where she has a host of friends, is about to erect a handsome residence on her property here, west of the Cannon ranch.

The M. E. Sunday-school orchestra met last night and completed its organization, with Miss Jessie Ray Thompson as leader. The pieces are: violins, Jessie Thompson and Ernest Soto; flute, Peter Johnson; cornet, W. Callander; cello, Frank Sheldon; bass, W. A. Brown; pianist, Miss Mary Macy. This orchestra will play at the Horticultural Club meeting Tuesday night.

POMONA.

BANK'S NAME CHANGED.

POMONA, Jan. 22.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Pomona, it was decided to change the name of the institution to the Farmers' & Merchants' National Bank of Pomona, and to increase the capital stock of the bank from $50,000 to $100,000, the new issue of 500 shares to be sold to citizens of Pomona and vicinity, making a paid up, working capital and surplus of $125,000. The bank is doing a good business, the last semi-annual dividend of five per cent. having been declared the first of this month, leaving a surplus and undivided profits account of $38,500.

The funeral of James Berry, was held this afternoon from the house, Rev. S. J. Carroll officiating. The deceased was 33 years old and leaves a widow and four children.

T. D. Holladay has sold his lots at the corner of First and Thomas streets to W. L. Wright.

The Pomona Ebell Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at Coöperative Hall when Mrs. Chapin will give her Current Events lecture. At the same time, delegates will be elected to the California Federation of Women's Clubs, and to "El Camino Real" convention.

MONROVIA.

IMPROVED WATER SYSTEM.

MONROVIA, Jan. 22.—At a meeting of the City Council last evening, the matter of a bond issue, for the improvement of the water system, was discussed, and it was decided to call a meeting of the citizens at an early date, that the matter might be talked over.

D. Horace G. Cates has purchased from Mrs. C. F. Spence, twelve acres of land, lying south of Dr. Pottinger's sanatorium. He will at once have orange trees planted.

Alexander Mackenzie has been granted a permit by the building superintendent for a brick and granite building at the corner of Myrtle and Olive avenues.

H. G. Udell has purchased a lot on West White Oak avenue from C. C. Bowerman, and will build a residence thereon.

SANTA MONICA.

REVIVALIST VERY SICK.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 22.—At the close of the old year Rev. E. A. Holdridge came to Santa Monica to hold a series of revival meetings at the Presbyterian Church. The meetings started in with a rush, the Methodist and Christian churches joining and large audiences were nightly in attendance. Holdridge was taken ill after a week, however, and he grew worse, the disease developing into typhoid fever. Today the reverend gentleman has been very low and nearly all hope of his recovery has been abandoned.

Several successful series of meetings were held in and around Los Angeles by Rev. Holdridge just prior to his coming here.

REBEKAHS INSTALL.

Silver Wave Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F., installed officers last night as follows: N. G., Rolie Barker; V. G., Maggie Merrill; recording secretary, Carrie LaBerge; R.S.N.G., Metta Edenbaugh; L.S.N.G., Mary Sheckels; R.S. V.G., Millie Kirk; L.S.V.G., Miss Dutton; O.G.G., W. H. Barker; I.S.G., Mrs. Bray; chaplain, Lillian Barrows.

CATALINA ISLAND.

STAIRWAY DOWN A CLIFF.

AVALON, Jan. 22.—Dr. Macomber of Pasadena, who owns the fine cottage on the hill on Crescent avenue to the westward, is building a stairway down to the beach. The house is on a cliff about 100 feet above the bay. The stairway zigzags across the face of the cliff, which is nearly perpendicular, in almost every direction, the workmen blasting out a foothold and pinning the stairs to the face of the rock as best they can.

Max L. Rosenburg of San Francisco this morning chartered the Rival and with his cousin, Miss Oppenheimer and the three children of S. L. Ackerman, manager of the California Theater of San Francisco, are spending the day picnicking at the Isthmus.

A WOMAN'S GOLF PLAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vrooman, literary people who are recreating on the island, have become very much devoted to golf during their six weeks' stay, and Mrs. Vrooman has developed into a champion player. Yesterday, spurning the ladies' tees, which cut out the necessity of driving across the cañons and up the bluffs, thus making the distance between the greens much shorter and easier, she played from the men's tees, with the exception of the first and eighth, and made the nine holes in 44. This is said to be the best record ever made by a lady under similar circumstances on these links.

PERSONALITIES.

G. W. Stanfield and wife of Chattanooga, Tenn., are at the Bay View for a week.

Mrs. H. J. Markham and son of Chicago have returned to the Grand View Hotel after spending a month at Coronado.

James Patterson, a capitalist of Kansas City, accompanied by his wife, is registered at the Grand View.

N. V. Harlan, a mining man of Valdes, Alaska, with his wife is among the guests at the Bay View.

Mrs. W. G. Boyer and son and Mrs. S. C. Cheney of York, Neb., are at the Bay View.

GARDENA.

SCHOOL BONDS LOST.

GARDENA, Jan. 22.—At a special election held here today on the question of the issuance of High School bonds the project was defeated by a vote of 65 to 60. A two-thirds vote would have been required in order to carry the election in favor of the bonds.

FIREBUGS IN OCEAN PARK.

THREE ATTEMPTS MADE TO BURN THE SEASIDE CITY.

Residence of S. M. Bernard Destroyed—In Other Cases Flames Are Discovered in Time to Save the Buildings—Citizens Are Aroused.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 22.—Ocean Park was in the hands of firebugs last night and it is only through good fortune and the vigilance of loyal residents and the fire department that this flourishing seaside settlement is not a smouldering ruin today. At 5:25 this morning Night Watchman Reynolds discovered the residence of S. M. Bernard, on Strand street, one block east of the Ocean Front, to be ablaze. To alarm the people in quick succession he fired every chamber of his revolver. The alarm was then turned in and soon the fire bell aroused the sleepers. Before assistance could reach the house the entire front was in flames and only a few dishes and kitchen utensils were saved. The fire had been kindled under the front porch and made such rapid progress that the house could not be saved. It was unoccupied but was furnished throughout. When daylight came investigation revealed the truth of the surmises that the fire was the work of incendiaries, for tracks were seen in the sand in front of the house and under the trees near where the blaze was first observed a bunch of dry unburned matches was picked up.

The house was owned by S. M. Bernard of Los Angeles, owner of the Natick House there, and was built at a cost of $2500. The furnishings were worth nearly as much and all is a total loss.

Two other fires were kindled during the night by incendiaries. At 3 o'clock the rear of the elegant new $15,000 cottage, Fraser avenue and Ocean Front, of Thomas M. Fitzgerald of Los Angeles, was discovered ablaze. Shingles, boxes, shavings and other inflammable material had been piled in a corner against the rear of the house and the fence. A match was applied to this and the entire corner at once burst into flames. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Stephens, who live next door, were aroused and gave the alarm, rushing meantime with buckets and tubs filled with water. They soon had the fire under control.

The third incendiary attempt was over on South Second street. Rev. W. C. Botkin had been to attend a lodge meeting and was returning home afoot about 11 o'clock when he observed a bright light just opposite the Pure Springs Water Company's pumping plant. He ran to the scene and found a box full of rubbish piled against a small unoccupied cottage. The box, its contents and the cottage were ablaze, the fire leaping higher than his head and the smell of kerosene was distinct. Mr. Botkin quickly kicked down the blazing tinder and soon had the fire under control.

These three attempts have thoroughly aroused the people.

REALTY DEAL.

Another real estate deal of considerable importance has been consummated whereby Thomas Fitzgerald of Los Angeles boomes the owner of four lots fronting on Ocean Front, at the corner of Fraser avenue. The property has a frontage of 121 feet on the ocean and is 104 feet deep. The improvements consist of a small house worth probably $2200. The consideration is $8000. The lots were owned by Mr. Noble and Mrs. McGrath and Mrs. Parker. Mr. Fitzgerald will erect flats for rental on his newly-acquired property.

LONG BEACH.

VETERANS' ROUSING RALLY.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 22.—The G.A.R. reception to department officers of the G.A.R. today was a brilliant gathering, although the old boys felt considerable disappointment over the absence of the department commander himself. A telegram announcing Gen. Shafter's illness was received with regret. The remainder of the party, comprising Past Department Commander A. J. Buckles, Senior Vice-Commander C. L. Rice, Assistant Adjt.-Gen. John H. Roberts and Chief Mustering Officer W. S. Daubenspeck arrived at 2 p.m. on the Pacific Electric Railway and were escorted to the Tabernacle by the G.A.R. and W.R.C. The exercises at the Tabernacle were of a patriotic character and consisted of old-time war songs and addresses. Speaches of welcome were made by Mayor Townsend, Rev. Charles T. Murphy and Commander S. C. Merrill of the Long Beach Post, and then addresses were delivered by each of the visitors.

POSTMASTER FLINT AT HOME.

POSTOFFICE SITE AFFAIRS ARE IN BAD SHAPE.

Flint Says an Effort is to be Made to Secure an Addition to Original Appropriation Equal to Amount Awarded by Jury.

Motley H. Flint, whose appointment as postmaster of Los Angeles was confirmed by the Senate while he was still in Washington, returned home from the capital last night at 10:45 o'clock on the Coast Line Limited, after an absence of seven weeks.

Just as he started for the East, he received an order by wire from the government to stop off at St. Louis and take charge of arrangement of plans for the model postoffice exhibit, which is to be a part of the United States government display at the St. Louis World's Fair. Mr. Flint spent four days there looking over the ground, and then proceeded to Washington and prepared plans for the postoffice exhibit. This is to be an elaborate and instructive affair, showing the workings of modern mail service in this country.

Postmaster-to-be Flint did not find affairs concerning the Los Angeles postoffice site in very promising shape. "The case seems to be in a muddled condition," was the brief way he summed it up.

He says that an effort is to be made to secure an addition to the appropriation of $175,000 of the amount of the difference between this original appropriation and the $190,000 which the jury in the recent condemnation proceedings here decided was a proper price for the land which the government sought to acquire adjoining the old postoffice site on Main street. Difficulties of law enter into such a proposition in a way that makes it doubtful if it could be made to "stick."

After the vicissitudes of seven weeks' of life, political and physical, in the busy and chilly national capital, the future postmaster of Los Angeles is glad to return to his old haunts, and expects to be busy again in his office at Spring and Eighth streets this morning.

NO OVERHEAD WIRES.

National Capital has Ordinances Prohibiting Placing of Poles on Residence Streets.

Charles Cassat Davis, who is actively interested in the beautifying of Los Angeles' business and residence streets by the removal of electric light and telephone poles, has made investigation of the laws of other cities governing this matter.

A long letter to Mr. Davis from Walter C. Allen, Electrical Engineer of the District of Columbia, goes into much detail regarding the obviating of the pole nuisance in Washington City, and says that no telephone wires or poles are allowed on any of the streets or avenues within a certain prescribed area of the city, which includes the most beautiful residence section; that underground conduits are required for both telephone and lighting wires, and that there is an absolute prohibition in the form of an act of Congress forbidding the erection of any electric-lighting wires on any streets within the fire limits, which practically covers the entire residence and business section of the city. It is not permitted to carry wires or cables through trees, as trees are the pride of the city, and nothing is permitted to interfere with them.

Edward B. Ellicott, City Electrician of the city of Chicago, writing to Mr. Davis, says that telephone, telegraph and electric-light wires must be placed underground on boulevards and fine residence streets, as well as on all other permanently improved streets; that all underground conduits must be provided by the companies; that telephone, light and power wires must be placed on the same poles wherever it is possible to do so, and that no trouble has been experienced by reason of this as the city keeps a careful supervision and inspection of the construction work; that no wires are allowed overhead on residence streets or boulevards; and that companies voluntarily remove poles when streets are undergoing improvement, and that permits are given for the erection of poles and wires in alleys wherever there is room for them.

In a few instances insulated cables containing telephone wires have been carried through trees, but it is not considered good engineering to install them in this manner, as it is almost impossible to carry cables through trees and prevent abrasion of the insulation by the continual swinging of the branches. When so placed they require frequent renewing.

In both cities most of the poles are of wood, but iron poles are generously used, and are entirely satisfactory, and are declared to be practicable for any class of service. They are, however, more expensive than wood poles, and in Washington are not in general use.

SANTA BARBARA.

CITY TRUSTEES' ULTIMATUM.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 22.—The Board of City Trustees has delivered an ultimatum to the Edison Electric Company regarding the much-disputed right of way along the eastern boulevard and water front. The City Attorney has been directed to notify the company that unless it fulfills its promise to convey to the city certain private rights of way parallel to the boulevard within one week, the ordinance granting the company the desired franchise will not pass its final reading.

CONDEMNING FOR WATER.

The first of a number of condemnation suits for land for the storage reservoirs and tunnel through the Santa Ynez Mountains necessary for the completion of the city's new water system, was filed yesterday by City Attorney Booth. The tract the city wishes to condemn comprises about nine hundred acres and extends from the head of Mission Creek on this side of the mountains to a point on the Santa Ynez River on the opposite side. The property is owned by Jed. L. Washburn of Minneapolis, Minn.

CAUGHT BIG BASS.

A remarkable catch was made yesterday by S. Larco, a local fisherman. Larco captured a 400-pound sea bass, said to be the largest fish of the kind captured in these waters. Fishing in the channel has been remarkably good for several days and fishing parties from the hotels have made phenomenal catches.

Furnished rooms at Park View Hotel, Long Beach.

Celestial Refreshments.

Places of rest and refreshment are commonly to be found at the halting stations on the highways in the interior, or at the villages on the banks of the great rivers of China. They frequently take the form of a small mud hut, having a dark interior filled with smoke, tea tables, forms and an oven, where a cook is kept busy baking tea bread and frying puddings for the entertainment of the customers, whose favorite beverage is tea, although when times are good and the weather cold they indulge in something stronger, which often inebriates, and that at a very cheap rate.

In the darkest corner there are a row of glazed earthenware jars, containing a kind of Chinese whisky, of which a thirsty carter may have a skinful for something considerably under a penny; when he will go quietly to sleep on the shaft of his cart, and his pony or mule, being used to it, will take him home.

In addition to these conveniences there is an ingenious little furnace in front, having a long flue, through which the flame is driven by an air pump, and a row of hot water kettles, gradually increasing in size to suit the heat of the tongues of flame that passes up the flue beneath, so that they may all be kept boiling.

The hot water is sold to the passers-by, who usually carry with them their teapot and tea, so that they may have a cup at every station. This custom of carrying one's own tea is so common that it is difficult to procure a cup of tea in any of the restaurants, as they do not keep it, and do not care to go out of their way to buy it for you.

Although the plant may be growing all round, and at one's feet, it is next to impossible to get/a cup that a foreigner would consider worth drinking; and as to using milk and sugar, the Chinese look upon the practice as a barbarous device of the "foreign devil."—[Golden Penny.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S letter in The Times Magazine tomorrow will present an interview with David M. Parry, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, on Trade-Union Abuses. The Association of which Mr. Parry is the head represents 3000 leading factories and corporations in this country. Every person interested in American industrial conditions will want to read what Mr. Parry says.

THE TIMES MAGAZINE tomorrow will contain a comprehensive article on Radio-Activity and the progress of scientific investigation in the line of physics.

WOULDN'T SPARE THE LUNATICS.

"LET THEM KILL THEMSELVES," SAYS BRITISH EXPERT.

Dr. Robert R. Rentoul, Surgeon, Author and Acknowledged Authority Makes Extraordinary Suggestion as Nature's Plan—Startling Insanity Statistics.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Perhaps no more extraordinary suggestion ever has been made by a medical man of acknowledged standing than that just put forth by Dr. Robert Reid Rentoul, of the British Royal College of Surgeons, to the effect that lunatics instead of being placed under restraint as at present should be allowed to destroy themselves with as little loss of time as possible, according to what this medico believes to be nature's plan.

Dr. Rentoul, who recently was a member of the General Council of Medical Education of Great Britain, and who is also the author of several medical works which are acknowledged as authoritative, claims to have the best ground for his belief that if left alone all crazy folks eventually would destroy themselves, and he regards institutions for the treatment and cure of dementia as a useless expense. "At present," he says, "we are engaged in the apparently pleasant pastime of manufacturing lunatics and others of this class."

The doctors declare, too, that no effort should be made to prevent would-be suicides from taking their lives. "In our efforts," he says, "to check suicide by protecting and controling would-be destroyers, in permitting many to beget a tainted offspring; in spending immense sums of money upon the up-keep of the unfit—do we not in reality actively support the survival of the unfit?

"Think how nature would reduce the number of lunatics to the smallest proportion were she not so persistently thwarted! Among a very large portion of the insane there is a marked suicidal tendency—some call it a 'mania.'

"We do all in our power to prevent suicide. Years ago suicides were buried at the public crossroads, a stake being driven through the body. Fortunately this has not acted as a deterrent. Today we build palatial residences, and appoint immense staffs to protect lunatics from their mental impulses. Again, our Legislature attempts to make the obtaining of poisons as difficult as possible.

"Yet although thousands of pounds are expended yearly upon the care of lunatics, nature's method—that of suicide—goes on, as it must and will go on. Not only so, but, fortunately, it increases."

Dr. Rentoul agrees with army medical examiners and the numerous private practitioners who have insisted for some time that the physical standard of the British race is degenerating and by applying the ancient maxim of the conection between a healthy mind and a healthy body, claims foundation for his reasoning on the latest statistics. In England and Wales one person in every 301 is an officially notified lunatic, while in Scotland and Ireland the percentage is slightly lower, one in 247 and one in 296 being the respective numbers. The records show that in 1901, nearly a fourth of those who applied for army enlistment were rejected as physically unfit, while more than a thousand more were discharged for this reason within three months after their enrolment.

This physician also believes that something should be done, and in a hurry, to control the marriages of persons discharged from asylums. In support of his contention, he points out that from 1885 to 1903, 8923 lunatics were discharged from asylums in this country as "recovered," and that 2285 of them had to be readmitted. He mentions one case of a man who was discharged from an asylum and who, within a few months, married the daughter of a woman who had been in the same asylum for years. Another case instanced is that of a man, "dull and partially idiotic," who married a woman more than half idiotic. They had nine children, all idiots!

JIMINEZ SHORT OF SHOT.

Imitates the Woodchuck by Retiring to Fort—Caceres Fights Again and Occupies Castillo City.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Gen. Caceres has fought another battle, during which Ramon Tanares and several others were killed, cables the Herald's correspondent at Puerta Plata, Santo Domingo.

Gen. Caceres now occupies Castillo City, and Gen. Jiminez has retired to the fort. His forces are short of ammunition.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, January 22, 1904.

John R Cypherd and Martha E Cypherd to Elizabeth D Brantner, lot 36, block H, Shafter tract, $10.

Frank C Platt and Ida Grace Platt to Eva L Humphreys, part lot 4, Lewis Landreth's subdivision of part Painter & Ball's addition, $250.

Same to Elizabeth Chalfant, part lot 4, same tract, $325.

W B Judson and Marie S Judson to John M Hoeppner and Emma Hoeppner, lot 19, block 2, Jefferson-street tract, $350.

Emily K Jones to Charles M Stimson, part lot 8, Ahern's subdivision of part estate of Mary Newman, $10.

Levi Wright and Emma C Wright to R T Kimball, lots 1 and 2, and part lots 5 and 7, block 76, Long Beach, $250.

W McGinnis and Laura A McGinnis to W I Keese, lots 11, 12, 14, 15 and 16, McGinnis tract, $10.

H C Hanna and Estella May Hanna to William F Klozin, lots 14, 15 and 16, Ocean Park tract, $10.

William F Klozin to Harry C Hanna and Estella May Hanna, tract of 4.19 acres in Rancho San Antonio, $10.

Walter A Grinton and Emily B Grinton to Kate Knorr, lot 166, Maren tract, $10.

A F Smithman to Frederick W Westmeyer, lots 1, 2 and 3, block L, Knob Hill tract, $10.

Montgomery & Mullin Lumber Company to Katie H Patrick, lot 5, block 7, Plater's subdivision of Mesnick tract, $10.

Fannie M French to Annie Elisa Mackey, part lots 36, 37 and 43, Spence's addition to Boyle Heights, $2200.

Redondo Improvement Company to Anastasia Griffin, part lot 20, block 177, Redondo Beach, $10.

Anastasia Griffith to Lizzie L Barkley, part lot 21, block 177, Redondo Beach, $10.

Redondo Improvement Company to Lizzie L Barkley, part lot 21, block 177, Redondo Beach, $10.

Lizzie L Barkley and S D Barkley to Harriet Rathbun, lot 22, block 177, Redondo Beach, $10.

Harriet Rathbun to Redondo Improvement Company, lot 22, block 177, Redondo Beach, $10.

Martha K Tomlinson to Hattie H Crary, part lot 4, P G Wooster's subdivision Southern Pacific tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Miss G M Raulin, lot 15, block H, Adams-street Arlington Heights tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to W E Tyler, reconveyance of lot 11, Tyler Key West tract.

W E Tyler and Edna M Tyler to Frank M Tyler, lot 11, Tyler's Key West tract, $10.

Sherman Washburn and Samuel H Banbury, executors of estate of Thomas Banbury, deceased, to James A Roberts, part lots 1 and 2, Barclay's subdivision San Gabriel Orange Grove Association, $300.

Peter J Brannen and Belle Brannen to H H Greider, lot 21, Brannen tract, $200.

Malcolm Campbell-Johnson to Elizabeth Tasker Richardson, lot 29 of addition to Rockdale tract, $10.

Otto Deffner and Mattie Deffner to Oscar F Conklin, lot 147, Westlake Park tract, $10.

Rufus A Parker to William A Baxter, lot 13, block 4 Monrovia, $10.

Estate of Jacob F Norman, deceased, order directing said executrix to execute deed to Nancy C Barnes, lot 12, block C, Monrovia addition to Monrovia, $10.

Charles E Davisson and Elizabeth H Davisson to Maggie L Nofsiger, lot 12, block T, Mount Pleasant tract, $10.

Charles M Stimson to J B Weaver, part lots 60, 61 and 62, Davis & Julien's subdivision, $200.

William M Hughes and Sarah A Hughes to Samuel F Arthur and Ivy E Arthur, part lot 11, block 27, East Los Angeles, $10.

Servianta Redrequia to Jesus Martinez, lots 14 and 15, block 2, Fernando, $50.

Estate of Thomas E Beatty, deceased, order confirming sale to Allison Barlow, lots 5 to 31, block 24, De Soto Heights tract.

Fanny E Bean Cunningham to W A Johnson and Charles S Hall, lots 169 and 114, Boettcher tract, $1000.

John M Sharon and Mary C Sharon to Frank H E Roberts, lot 16, block 12, Brooklyn Heights Ganahl tract, $600.

Daniel K Stetson and Mary W Stetson to Jessie McLochlan, lot 4, Oscar Freeman subdivision, $10.

John G Kressel vs Mrs E Elliot, decree quieting title in plaintiff to lot X, block 167, Santa Monica.

George H Hutton and Dolores E Hutton to Santa Monica Investment Company, part lots M, N and Z, block 71, Santa Monica, $10.

John P Jones and Georgina S Jones to Santa Monica Investment Company, lots G, H, K, L, T, block 72, and L and F, block 71, Santa Monica, $10.

William A Clark and Anna Laura Clark to Nellie M Kiggs, part lot 11, block V, Carvanna Addition No 1, $250.

E H Ambrose to G H Holden, agreement to convey lot 23, block A, Estella tract, $1450.

G H Holden to Union Hardware and Metal Company, assignment of above.

G H Holden and Sarah A Holden to Sarah Burton, agreement to convey lot 23, block A, Estella tract, $1700.

G H Holden and Sarah A Holden to Union Hardware and Metal Company, assignment of above.

Cano G Werner and Katie Werner to Ulysses P Daniel, lots 25, 26 and 27, block L, Ellis & Vhey, lots 25, 26 and 27, block L, Ellis tract, $10.

Isaia W Hellman and Esther Hellman to Fritz B Beach, block 19, R 4 Wilmington, $1000.

Fritz B Beach to William S Stevens, block 19, R 4 Wilmington, $10.

A E Hiles and Gertrude S Hiles, to L L Bowen, part lot 23 of Ivar A Weid's subdivision Santa Monica, $10.

L L Bowen and Nellie F Bowen to A E Hiles, lot 6, block E, Adams street tract, $10.

Frederick Behe and Elisabeth Behe to Mrs Mary Ellen Bowman and William Henry Bowman, lot 24, May's tract, $700.

Blanche M Hugus to William B Staats, part lot 7, Mrs H Hodd's tract, Pasadena.

Amos D Russell to George Humphries, lots 4 and 5, Bowman Heights tract, $200.

Anna M Stowers formerly Anna M Englehardt and A C Stowers to R E Dolley, lot 1, block R, Glendora, $100.

Equitable Transfer Company, trustee in bankruptcy for John A Davidson and Alexander Davidson to Abel A Bach, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 27, 28, 29, 46, block 4, San Gabriel.

Abel A Bach and Alice E Bach to Joseph Ulisg, same, $50.

Thomas H Oxnam and Mamie Oxnam to Mary L Davis, lot 5, block F, Moran's tract, $2500.

John F Thompson and Harriet Thompson to Elizabeth H Middleton, lot 94, block A, A L Painter's subdivision of lands of Painter & Ball, $2000.

West Adams Heights Association to L T Bradford, lots 4 and 7, block 6, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Pietro Gaglino, lot 1, block 2, South Woodlawn, $10.

Lyman E Hathaway, and Edna M Hathaway to Mrs. Marguerite Bemis, lot 19, block C, Sherman, $250.

Carl Brockmann to Mari Brockmann, part section 20, 2 S 13, $5.

Charles R Shatto and John S Maltman to Carl E Coombs, lot 5, block 1, Maltman & Shatto's tract, $200.

George A Carter and Katie B Carter to Russell K Pitzer, part of lots 8 and 9, block 30, Pomona, $1.

Mark Hickels to H F Herwig and J N Herwig, part section 36, T N 9, $5000.

Anna B Rogers and Maynard A Rogers to Live Oak Wine Company, part section 6, 1 S 8, $3000.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to P E Pabst, lot 311, section H, Rosedale Cemetery, $135.

Same to same, agreement to care for same, $75.

Carrie B Stewart to Mary H Young, agreement to convey lot 2, block 3, Golden Bay tract, $2500.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Carl E Arfwedson, reconveyance of trust property.

Frank B Strong, George W Dickinson, Anna Schmitz and John F Schmitz to Louis Halstrom, part section 7, 2 S 13, $10.

Frank C Platt and Ida Platt to John E Brown, lots 1 and 2, Frank C Platt Company's First tract, $10.

Ida A Stetson and C P Stetson to Annie C Weygand, lot 11, Andrews & Linville's addition, $10.

W H Crook and Ada E Crook to Guy Tyler, lot 12, J W Hollingsworth's addition to Whittier, $250.

Andrew S Sherb, Mattie L Sherb, Alexander S Culver, Margaret I Culver, Frank R Strong, and Pearl Strong to Walter A Grinton, beginning at point in north line Adams street district, N 62 degs., 26 min., 15 secs. west along same 250.72 feet from northwest corner San Pedro and Adams streets, etc., $10.

John E Bonnerman and Sarah A Bonnerman to Horace T Steddom and Mary H Steddom, lot 3, block K, Glendora, $600.

Edmund Lockett and Ellen O Lockett to Charles W Stevens, part lot 8, block E, New Fair Oaks Avenue tract, $10.

Union Title and Realty Company to T Fimble, lots 5 and 6, block 4, West Adams Heights, $10.

Charles W Dodenhoff and Lavina H Dodenhoff to Ida Bell Kiehleine, lots 20 and 21, block 17, Palmdale, $10.

Rufus H Brower to August Schoemer, lot 16, block A, Vignes's tract, $200.

David F Smith and Anna M Smith to William Espolt, lot 12, Smith's addition to Whittier, $250.

F D Jewell and Mary E Jewell to T H Carey, lot 15, Joseph Myan's subdivision, $10.

Elna Comstock to Waldo K Cowan, lot N, block 113, Santa Monica, $10.

Delphia Comstock to same, Lot O, block 113, same tract, $10.

Herbert Perry to Paul A Crippen, lot 12, block A, Burton's tract, $10.

Fred L Sexton and Alberta F Sexton to Joseph Swarts, lots 11½ inclusive, block 4, Carranza, $1700.

Martha D Pickett to W J Davis and Ida R Davis, part lots 1 and 2, block A, Santa Monica Canyon tract, $10.

L C Tyler and Sarah M Tyler to Thomas Mason Leane and Rebecca Leane, part lots 4 and 17, block 11, Los Angeles Homestead tract, $10.

Mrs Jennie G Dunn to J H Dunn, undivided half interest in part lot 4, block 77, Ord's Survey.

H Boettcher and Alvina Boettcher to Lawrence Ott and Mary Ott, lot 145, Boettcher tract, $600.

H B Smith to Charles M Stimson, lot 220 Johnson tract, lots 25 and 27, block 9, Childs' Heights tract, $30.

E C Willits and Mary E Willits to B F Crews, lot 4, block N, Monrovia, $200.

Sophronia A Dike to Harry Mason, lots 2, 3 and 4, block 17, Pacific View tract, $600.

D R Brearley and Mary F Brearley to Mary Flintin, lot 15, block 5, Brearley & Hollenbeck tract, $10.

Fred L Lee and Hattie N Lee to Marion M Elliott, lots 11 and 12, block 1, Fred L Lee's subdivision, $10.

Marion M Elliott to Lyle A Harlow, lot 15, block 1, Fred L Lee's subdivision, $10.

Same to James A Harlow and Emma A Harlow, lot 14, block 1, same subdivision, $10.

Pacific Improvement Company to Frank C Standing, lots 4 and 5, block H, Pacific Improvement tract, $630.

H H Mason to Drusilla Mossmann and Blanche S Drennan, property not in Los Angeles county, $10.

S Baker to Mrs B S Drennan and Mrs Drusilla Messenger, lot 11, block G, Crescent Cahuenga acreage lots, $10.

Charles E Bates and Ella Bates to Mrs Rothrock, lot 5, block 2, Whittier, $200.

Estate of Marian B Wilbey, deceased, order directing administrator to convey to George Ralphs part lot 238, Maclay Rancho.

Estate of Samuel Cooper, deceased, final decree of distribution to Matthew James Cooper, Samuel Baldwin Cooper, William Cooper, Jane Margaret Farnum, Charles Cooper, Mary F Cooper, Mary A R Long, Alis Lou Longmeyer, to Mary Cooper, residue; part section 27, 2 N 17.

James S Howard, executor of estate of Ada Helen Howard, deceased, to Edna E Parvin, lot 6, block 4, Le Mars subdivision block 134, Pomona, $1024.

Estate of Octavia Hopf, deceased, final decree distributing to Rudolph Hopf and Ida Hopf lot 5, block 9, South Santa Monica.

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HOW JUVENILE LAW WORKS.

Judge Wilbur Outlines Modes of Procedure.

Gives Offenders More Chances to Reform.

Finances Arranged — Work of Detention Home.

The Juvenile Detention Home was formally opened yesterday, and after the weekly session of the Juvenile Court Judge Wilbur took occasion to advert to the new law, which has for its purposes the reformation of delinquent children.

At the time a new step was about to be taken, and when the machinery for the conduct of operations under the law was about to be put in force for the first time, the court said he thought it proper to make some observations in connection with the work.

"The general scheme of the law," said Judge Wilbur, "is familiar to those who have paid attention to it—the plan of giving a chance, an opportunity for reform, to juvenile offenders, those under 16 years of age, that chance to be largely in the discretion of the Superior judge, who, for the time, is acting as the judge of the Juvenile Court, so-called.

"Heretofore, the first step taken by the State in these matters has been a commitment to the school at Whittier or Ione. The new law provides a step preceding that, or two steps, we might say, providing that a boy arrested in the Police Court may be placed upon probation by that court; that if he violates his probation there or does not show evidence of reform he can be certified up to the Superior Court, and in that court may be either sent to one of the State reform schools or may be dealt with under the general provisions of the juvenile law.

MODE OF PROCEDURE.

"If it is found upon trial, after giving the boy a chance in the Superior Court, that he fails to exercise that chance and that absolute restraint is necessary for him for a long period of time, he can be sent to one of the state schools. If there his conduct is such that the officers are no longer warranted in retaining him there, by reason of his incorrigibility to the discipline and reformatory influences of the school, he can be returned to the court and sent to the penitentiary for the crime with which he was originally charged.

"In avoiding the conviction for a felony and allowing a child to go to a reform school previous to his conviction, there are effects other than those of being merely saved from incarceration in the penitentiary. When he has been convicted of a felony he is disfranchised, not allowed to vote. Not only that, but any time he appears in court as a witness he is liable to be asked the question whether or not he has not been convicted of a felony and to be required to answer as to that fact. That statement alone tends to impeach his testimony, and is recognized as impeaching testimony under the law and goes to the jury. There could hardly be a more serious deterrent to reformatory influence than the fact that a man could be compelled at any time to come into court as a witness on any matter, be may have happened to see, and when in court should always be asked this question whether or not he had been convicted of a felony. Those enects are obviated unless the boy comes into court finally and is convicted of a felony.

CHIEF PROBATION OFFICER.

"The proper administration of this law rests very largely in the hands of an officer who is styled in the statute the chief probation officer. This officer has the duty of investigating such charges as may be made against children and of reporting the results of those investigations to the court; the duty of receiving from the court the custody of children pending the hearing, or, it may be, the final custody of the children; the administration of discipline while in his custody, in different forms, such as requiring the children to report to him; of investigating the home of the children; and in other ways looking after the best interests of the child considering the charge against him.

"It is proper for me at this time, I think, to refer to the gentleman who has been appointed by this court the chief probation officer. He is a stranger in this community, and in that way and to that extent labors under a serious disadvantage—a disadvantage which would have precluded his appointment had he been of less pronounced efficiency in the work in which he has been so long engaged. One of the first States to try the juvenile law was the State containing one of the largest cities in the United States, that of Chicago. Mr. Dodge, who has been appointed probation officer, has for years been engaged in reformatory work, and I think this city and this county should be congratulated that we have had the opportunity to employ such a man and to obtain the benefit of his experience.

"Under this officer there may be as many other probation officers as it seems wise to the court to appoint. Those officers are responsible to the Chief Probation Officer in the first instance, and through him to the court.

FINANCES ARRANGED.

"Under the policy of the juvenile laws which have been enacted in this State and in other States, no compensation has been provided for probation officers. The purpose stated by those who have advocated the passage of these laws is to avoid any chance of political considerations influencing such appointments. However, it is obvious that a man, unless he were a wealthy man, could not devote himself to such work without compensation, and the Juvenile Board appointed by the Superior judges have undertaken to raise the funds necessary to pay the expenses of this officer. In that attempt they have appealed to the charitable people of the county for his support, and that of other necessary expenses of the work which could not properly be provided for by the county or the city.

"I wish at this time to express publicly my high appreciation not only of the character of the Juvenile Committee that has been appointed, the character of the individual members, but of the intense interest they have manifested in this work. Mr. Klamroth, Leonard Merrill, Mrs. Sartori, Mrs. Washburn, Miss Stoddard and Mrs. McCartney are all well known in the community, and need no word of commendation from me.

"I wish to say that this board not only has fulfilled its duty under the statute, but several of the members have manifested their interest by actually taking charge of some of the children who have come before the court. This board, in addition to the work actually required of them by virtue of their appointment, have undertaken the raising of funds for the carrying on of this work. I think they have taken the work into their hearts. Their presence here this morning, and at previous hearings of these charges, which is not required in the statute, nor required of them in the performance of the duties of their position, indicates their interest.

DETENTION HOME.

"With reference to the new home which has been referred to as the detention home, I think it proper to refer in a measure to the legal status of that home. Under the statute, the judge of the Superior Court in continuing cases or in providing temporary custody for children, may commit the child to the Sheriff or the Probation Officer to be placed in some proper place; and, as has been observed by those who have noticed the orders made this morning, the orders of the court placed the custody of the children in the Probation Officer, to be placed with the matron of the new institution. In case it is found that any of these children are incorrigible in the new place that has been provided from them, or if their conduct is unsatisfactory and they are not amenable to discipline, my wish is that the matron will report to the Probation Officer and that the boys be returned into court, and then I will commit them to the custody of the Sheriff, to be placed in the County Jail, and remain there during such further time as they may be in custody and until they are further disposed of.

SEPARATING THE VICIOUS.

"I think it would be a mistake to permit boys whose conduct is vicious to remain with other boys. I think, while the law does not recognize that in the provisions in regard to the custidoy of children, a vicious boy may have vastly more influence for evil with another boy than a vicious man.

"In connection with the Detention Home, I wish here to refer to the officers who have been appointed for work in that home. I feel that the court, the county, the city, are to be congratulated on the officers who are taking charge of that work. Mrs. Pratt has had experience in the management of boys both at Whittier, if I remember correctly, and also at the Newsboys' Home. After all, in these lines of work it is only experience that enables one to bring about right results. Mr. Oliver, who will assist in that institution, for the first six months of the work here, was Chief Probation Officer, whose work there was very satisfactory. He has been an officer of the Humane Society, and also an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children in this city, and previous to the passage of this new act he was the Juvenile Officer for Los Angeles County. I believe. He has had many years experience along the lines which are involved in the administration of this new law, and he is a capable and efficient officer. Mr. Murphy, who has also been appointed one of the officers, is a man who is naturally a disciplinarian. He has had experience both in the Army and in the Marine Service. He has had large experience in the matter of prison discipline, which I consider in this new venture to be invaluable. I think the three men I have named, Mr. Dodge, Mr. Oliver and Mr. Murphy, are all soldiers who fought in the Rebellion and testified in that way their patriotism to the nation.

COUNTY AND CITY.

"Perhaps I should say a word in regard to the method of maintenance of this new home. The Juvenile Board, as it is styled, appealed both to the supervisors of the county and to the City Council of the city of Los Angeles to establish this institution and take charge of its maintenance. I am sure they would wish through me to express their appreciation to the supervisors and to the Council, and I certainly join with them in expressing my appreciation of the readiness with which they acceded to this request. It is a new testimony from public officials to the interest which is had by them as officers of the State in the welfare of the young, and a recognition that is being brought about more and more by these laws of the fact that it is much less expensive to care for the young and train them correctly than it is to attempt to convict and punish adult criminals. Many of these boys here, if allowed to go without restraint, would become criminals.

LIFE SENTENCES.

"If one of them should come before me after going through the different reformatory institutions of the State, and shown that he was incorrigible, I should advocate a sentence for life. Because I believe a boy who is not amenable to discipline and kindness with a reasonable degree of force; who, after having every influence thrown about him that could be for good, becomes of his own choice a criminal, should be permanently kept in the custody of and at work for the State.

"That, however, passes the jurisdiction of the Juvenile Court and is not a matter for consideration at this time. I wish to bespeak for each of these officers of the Juvenile Court from the others the hearty coöperation of all. I think it is absolutely essential to the success of this work.

"The judge who sits in the Juvenile Court is in a large measure powerless. He will have to rely very largely on the investigation and observation of these officers. And, in that connection, I expect great things from the investigation and observation which will be had of these children at this new home. They will be there surrounded by disinterested and unprejudiced people who will have only one motive, and that is to disclose to the court the real situation of the children and their real inclination and characteristics. Sometimes in the trials where miscellaneous witnesses are called in, this is not the case."

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SECOND FLOOR.

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